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REAL INSURGENT' HITS HITCHCOCK

Representative Lindbergh of Minnesota Declares That Postoffice Patronage Is Denied.

DEFIES HIM IN LETTER.

Charges Opposition to Speaker Cannon and Senator Aldrich Has Halted Appointments.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28.—[Special.]—Postmaster General Hitchcock's interference with the postoffice appointments of insurgent members of congress was the basis for another attack upon him today.

Congressman Lindbergh of Minnesota, characterized by Mr. Kitchin last Friday as "one of the real insurgents," has made public a letter in which he charges that Hitchcock has held up his postoffice appointments for political purposes and has taken the side of the professional politicians who are seeking to beat Lindbergh in his own district.

A previous exposure of the postoffice methods in the Minnesota insurgent districts was made a few weeks ago by Congressman Miller of Duluth. In the present case Mr. Lindbergh says that three or four postoffice appointments have been taken in charge personally by the postmaster general and held up because of Lindbergh's attack upon Cannon and Aldrichism.

The postmaster general has requested Mr. Lindbergh to appoint a successor to a Lindbergh man who now is holding the office at Walker. In a stinging reply Lindbergh says he will do so when Hitchcock acts on the other recommendations now before him.

Asks Hitchcock for Reasons.

"If I knew any excuse for your failure to act in these cases I would take action in the Wadena matter," says Lindbergh. "But the first assistant postmaster general informed me that his authority to deal with these cases had been taken from him, which means, of course, that you are opposed to me. Your opposition to me must arise out of misinformation or out of objection to me independent of the postoffice service, or because of outside influence.

"As I have been intrusted by the people of the district with the duties of my office it is your duty to inform me frankly what the trouble is. Since you did not do so yesterday in my talk with you, I shall inform you what the rumors are:

"I have taken the people of my district into my confidence. I am their servant. I have refused to be advised by professional politicians. These latter are doing their utmost to discredit me. I am informed they have endeavored to make it appear to you that I am opposed to the administration and that I do not act in line with the wishes of the president upon various matters that come into the house of representatives for consideration.

Cannot Trust "Uncle Joe."

"No one should doubt that I favor progressive legislation. I favor the president's progressive ideas, but I cannot trust with implicit confidence Cannon's and Aldrich's espousal of the progressive cause. I have evidence that makes me believe they are not favorable to the essential features of the president's best ideas, and I shall scrutinize closely any bill drafted by them or their agents.

"I am willing to vote for a good measure drafted by the forces of Cannon and Aldrich; but I reserve the right delegated to me by the district I represent to scrutinize closely the form of such a measure when it comes from that source or, in fact, from any source, to see that the realization of its substance is not defeated by inconsistent reservations, provisos, and constitutional objections.

Sees True Reason for Troubles.

"Your objection to me, however, seems in some things to date back to a period when I made an attack on Cannonism and Aldrichism, and I now feel that my being in disfavor with your department is due to my opposition to the leaders of the house and senate. I assume, also, that you are in good faith in thinking that because they are the parent leaders of the Republican party, I, Republican, should act in concert with these so-called leaders.

"If that is so, there is an irreconcilable conflict on, for I do not recognize them as the leaders of the Republican party.

"The party must stand for the people first, while these so-called leaders are so constituted that they believe the favored few should have all they want first, and the people take what is left.

"You must realize that both of these men are a few of their most ardent followers are a great burden to the party, and a greater burden to the people. The sooner their leadership ceases the safer the future of the Republican party.

Will Vote for All Good Measures.

"I like to be one of a majority of Republicans who vote for and pass a good measure; and I will not refrain from being one of a majority of the house, composed of Repub-

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TUESDAY, MARCH 1, 1910.

THE WEATHER—

FORECAST—Unsettled and warmer Tuesday, with showers by afternoon or night; Wednesday partly cloudy and colder; brisk southerly winds Tuesday, shifting to northwest at night.

Sunrise, 6:27; sunset, 5:41. Moonrise, 11:16 p. m.

CONDITIONS YESTERDAY.

Temperature, max. 32, min. 27, mean 30, normal for the day 29. Excess since Jan. 1, 74.

Precipitation for 24 hours to 7 p. m., 0. Deficiency since Jan. 1, 16 inch.

Wind, E., max. 14 miles an hour, at 6:40 p. m.

Relative humidity, 7 a. m. 79%, 7 p. m. 65%.

Barometer, sea level, 7 a. m. 30.12, 7 p. m. 30.04.

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Manager Chance and Cubs decide to remain at West Baden until Thursday, as New Orleans conditions also are bad.

White Sox special, delayed by second wreck, now ten hours late and will not reach San Francisco until tomorrow.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

Arrived.	Port.
BALTIC	Liverpool.
CALIFORNIA	Glasgow.
CARTHAGINIAN	Glasgow.
CINCINNATI	Alexandria.
CHEMNITZ	Baltimore.
COLUMBIA	New York.
CORSICAN	St. John.
GROSSER KURFURST	Cuxhaven.
LAURENTIC	New York.
MARTHA WASHINGTON	Gibraltar.
OCEANIC	Naples.
PROVINCIA	Marseilles.
RHEIN	New York.
UNITED STATES	Christiansand.
Sailed.	**Port.**
CELTIC	Naples.
ONTARIAN	Glasgow.
PRINZ F. WILHELM	Cherbourg.
ROMA	Marseilles.
THEMISTOCLES	Gibraltar.
VICTORIAN	Liverpool.

WIRELESS REPORTS.

ANCONA	Out 650 miles.	Due at New York Wed. a. m.
CHICAGO	Out 1,215 miles.	Due Thursday.
DUCA D'AOSTA	Out 250 miles from Sable Isl.	
SANNIO	Out 150 miles from New York	

THE TRIBUNE LEADS FOR FEBRUARY

Advertising carried by Chicago papers for the month of February 1910, measured in standard columns of 300 agate lines. Figures from THE TRIBUNE'S bureau of statistics, checked with the Daily News.

	Columns
TRIBUNE	**2,812.70**
NEWS	2,357.43
EXAMINER	1,765.76
RECORD-HERALD	1,753.85
INTER OCEAN	1,163.27
JOURNAL	1,117.20
AMERICAN	864.24
POST	645.21

THE TRIBUNE leads the next morning paper by 1,046.94 columns and the first evening paper by 455.27 columns.

On Sunday, Feb. 7 of last year, THE TRIBUNE published its special Lincoln Centenary Edition, which was the largest ever issued by any newspaper. Excluding this special issue and the corresponding Sunday this year, THE TRIBUNE has gained 248.16 columns of advertising in February 1910, over February 1909.

ASK DRAINAGE AID TO BUILD HARBOR

Aldermen Seek Ground on Which Two Governing Bodies Can Work Together to Start Docks.

TACKLE LIGHT QUESTION.

Council Will Get Legal Opinion of Rights of City and District Before Entering Into Contract.

Immediate harbors for Chicago with the aid of the sanitary district is the new slogan of the city administration. Overtures of peace with the drainage board were made by the city council last night in an administration resolution, introduced by Ald. Foell, chairman of the harbors, wharves, and bridges committee.

"Let us get together and build a harbor," is the burden of the message which the council is sending to the sanitary district trustees.

"Let us unite our forces before the legislature, and cease the bickerings which threaten the prospects of getting any sort of authority for either of us," is what Mayor Busse wishes to convey.

For this purpose he has appointed a committee of nine aldermen to confer with the drainage board, with a view to securing a bill which both the sanitary district and the city may unite in urging upon the legislature.

Hope Team Work Will Win.

It is hoped to secure legislative authority giving coordinate powers to both bodies in the building and operation of a harbor, so that the financial assistance of the sanitary trustees can be obtained. Mayor Busse and Ald. Foell have not abandoned hope of getting a compromise bill through the legislature, despite the recent action of the senate in killing all harbor bills.

The administration realizes the futility of endeavoring to secure any sort of legislation which will enable the city to finance the proposition and recognizes that funds are at the command of the drainage board.

The committee, which the mayor appointed for the purpose of arranging this compromise, is composed of Ald. Foell, Snow, Foreman, Littler, Lawley, Cullerton, Zimmer, Ryan, and Emerson.

Wants Harbor Built at Once.

"This resolution was introduced in the interests of immediate harbor construction," said Ald. Foell. "There seems to be a difference of opinion as to whether the municipality should construct and own a harbor or whether it would be more advantageous to have the power delegated to the sanitary trustees. It was thought best to have a council committee confer with the drainage board to see if some compromise could not be worked out whereby each could have a hand in the undertaking, so that there might be no delay in building the harbor.

"The rights of both bodies have not been well defined, and the bills which have been introduced in the legislature appear to be in conflict, although both aim at the same thing. If the city and the drainage board can get together in the next few days I think there is still hope of procuring the necessary legislation at this session."

If the conference sought for in Ald. Foell's resolution results in nothing tangible in the way of action before the legislature now sitting, those who are backing the measure indulge in the hope that Gov. Deneen will deem it necessary to call the assembly together again in extraordinary session within the next few months to revise the parole laws and that he will include the Chicago harbor in the call.

Aims at Government Unity.

Ald. Foell's resolution reviews the work of the harbor commission and of the council committee, to which that body's report was referred. The moves of the sanitary trustees are brought up, the resolution declaring:

"It is the judgment of this council that it would be extremely unwise, both politically and economically to confer upon each of two independent municipalities embracing the same territory, equal powers of taxation for the same purpose and equal authority to expend public funds in making and controlling the same public improvements, and that such diffusion or duplication of governmental powers would be a step directly contrary to the best thought and unselfish efforts of the many public spirited citizens of Chicago who for years have been laboring to bring about a consolidation of governmental functions, and the elimination rather than the multiplication of taxing bodies."

Wherefore, the conference is sought, to find a way for united action.

City and Sanitary Rights.

Before consummating a contract between the sanitary district and the city whereby the former is to take over the lighting of the city's streets, Ald. Snow, chairman of the finance committee, desires to have certain legal rights of both bodies defined. For this purpose he has addressed a letter to Corporation Counsel Brundage in which he asks for an opinion on the following questions:

"Is the power under which the sanitary district proposes to sell electrical energy included in the title of the act entitled 'An act to enlarge the corporate limits of the sanitary district of Chicago'?

"Would the omission of any mention of this grant of power from the title of the act render the act invalid as to that portion?

"Under section 369-J of the above mentioned act, is not the city of Chicago entitled to a portion of the electrical energy developed by the sanitary district without cost?

How Can Lines Be Sold?

"Has the city of Chicago the right to sell its transmission lines and stations without advertising?

"Can the city of Chicago lease its property without advertising, and if so, for how long a time?

"Can any property be disposed of by the city of Chicago, except 'when no longer required for municipal uses'?

"If that is the reason for the sale or leasing, can the city of Chicago thereafter purchase power which is transmitted over the lines and stations which it has declared are no longer required for its use?

"In view of the fact that the city of Chicago can only sell surplus electricity, and has no power to engage in the business of creating and selling electrical energy to private users, can the lines and stations which were transferred by the city of Chicago be used wholly or in part by the purchaser or lessee for the unlimited sale of electrical energy to private consumers?"

There will be no session of the council until March 14.

WHAT A DIFFERENCE A FEW STORIES MAKE.

WOMAN PAL BETRAYS ENGLISH

Police as Result Seek Confession He Killed Wiltshire.

RED NELL GIVES UP KNIFE.

Says Blackmailer Used It in Murdering Manufacturer.

For the last thirty-six hours the police of the Warren avenue station have been trying to obtain a confession from Eddie English, the paroled convict—who planned an elaborate holdup campaign against prominent Chicagoans—involving him in the mysterious murder of Charles E. Wiltshire.

For the same period detectives have been equally busy running down clews to corroborate accusations made by a woman against English concerning the murder. English denies all knowledge of the crime.

Strangely enough, the accuser of English is the woman known to the police as "Red Nell," the widow of "Tommy" Ward, a well known burglar, for whom English declared to the police he was going out to get money on Friday night when he was arrested.

Police Overhear Whispers.

Late Sunday night the accused and the accuser were placed face to face in the Warren avenue police station and engaged in a whispered conversation, a part of which was overheard, and, as a result, the police yesterday redoubled their efforts to trace every movement and associate of the paroled convict since his release from Joliet on parole, Jan. 27.

A search also was instituted for another man who was involved in the crime, according to the story told by the woman.

The woman at whose residence English passed the night previous to his arrest has given to the police the knife with which, she asserts, Wiltshire was slashed almost forty times in his glove factory, 458 North Halsted street, the night of Feb. 11. She asserts that the knife was given to her by English, and her statement is borne out by others in the house where she lives. She also says that English had the watch which belonged to Wiltshire and was missing when his body was found, and has promised the police to get it. Other possessions of the murdered man she says English had are a black muffler and a gold mounted toothpick.

While Capt. John J. Halpin and other officers declined to say Sunday evening that they were working on the new Wiltshire murder clew, it was admitted during the day but the police said several clews furnished by the woman had been run down without result.

Red Nell Urges Him to Tell?

The Sunday night conversation between English and the woman which was overheard indicated to the police that English was refusing to acquiesce in the request of "Red Nell."

"If I tell," he is quoted as saying, "it will mean that I go up for life."

During the day Detectives McSwiggen and Monaghan of the Warren avenue station visited the woman three times to question her concerning information she had given the police.

They came to the Clark street place in the afternoon while a reporter for THE TRIBUNE was at the house in North Clark street and the woman was questioned at length. She was reticent following the visit of the detectives.

"I believe 'Ned' is crazy," she said. "I can't figure it out any other way. I gave the police the knife, all right. The fellow is stuck on me all right. Why, when I want to leave him at the station last night he wanted to kiss me and said he would die happy if he knew no one else would ever have me."

Says She Knew Wiltshire.

"But the police believe Wiltshire was murdered through revenge," was suggested.

"Yes, that's right," she said; "maybe he was, too. I know Wiltshire but not well."

During the day it developed that the visit of Eddie English to the home of "Red Nell" last Thursday was not the first time that the two met after English's release from the penitentiary. The two saw each other at the county jail several days previously, where the woman was locked up.

The woman, who was ill, had enlisted the aid of Mrs. Sophia Van Dine, "the little mother of the jail," 422 West North avenue, to get her out on a nominal bond. English had been making his home at the Van Dine residence after his release on parole, and later Van Dine sent him to the jail with a letter to the woman in which was inclosed $5.

Friend of Burglar Husband.

It is the belief of the police that English was a friend of "Tommy" Ward before that burglar's death and that it probably was "Red" Nell who told English to write to Mrs. Van Dine to help him get his freedom when he was a prisoner in the penitentiary at Stillwater, Minn. Mrs. Van Dine says that English began to write to her while he was a prisoner there and it was due to the efforts of Mrs. Van Dine and Maj. Messlein of the Volunteers of America that English was released on parole.

English declared yesterday that he had told the police of all the crimes with which he was connected; the holding up of Dr. H. H. Chamberlin, 2555 Washington boulevard, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baker in their cigar store, Forty-fifth street and Cottage Grove avenue. He took $50 from the physician and robbed the Bakers of $8, promising the victims that he would repay them later.

English was arraigned on the two charges of robbery during the day in the Desplaines street Municipal court. At the request of the police both cases were continued pending the investigation of the murder case. The Wiltshire inquest also was continued indefinitely by Coroner Hoffman in keeping with the wish of the police.

Find Letter from Sister.

The police during the day found several personal letters written to English by a sister, who signed herself "your loving sister, Martha." One written to him before his release from prison read:

Dear Brother: It is a long time since we have heard anything whatever from you. Mother is much worried, and I beg of you to write us and let us know how you are getting along. Mother is ill and all because of worry about you. Hoping you are well and wishing you a happy new year, I remain your loving sister, MARTHA.

English refused again to talk about his relatives, saying that there was no use drawing them into disgrace. He admitted again after previous denials that his family lives in Fitchburg, Mass. He talked freely of his plan to establish an automobile repair shop if he had succeeded in holding up Dr. D. K. Pearsons for $37,000 through the holdup letter found by the police.

"I was going to establish a place in Michigan avenue," he said. "You know I can do most anything in the mechanical line. I was a draftsman at one time and I have invented a railway car auxiliary step that I sold for $300, and a unique pocketknife that I never did anything with."

BANK PRESIDENT SUED FOR $50,000 FOR HEART BALM.

John Shellgren Says 60 Year Old John Cunnea Alienated Affections of His Wife—Charge Is Denied.

John Cunnea, president of the Calumet National bank, was sued for $50,000 damages by John Shellgren, a tailor, in the Circuit court yesterday. The banker declared at night that he had no idea what the action was based upon, but John E. Erickson, counsel for the plaintiff, said the banker alienated the affections of Mrs. Shellgren.

Cunnea is past 60 years of age and resides at 7210 Harvard avenue. He is owner of premises on Forty-third street, near Cottage Grove avenue, where the Shellgrens formerly resided.

"Cunnea was instrumental in breaking up the Shellgren home," said Erickson. After Shellgren left Cunnea permitted Mrs. Shellgren to occupy his house free of charge, and my client frequently saw them talking together.

Cunnea would not even admit owning the Forty-third street house.

"I don't know anything about it, and don't care to talk," he said.

PASTORS TO COOK FOR CAUSE

Will Do Housework So Wives Can Go Out and Fight Saloons.

MEN THINK THEY CAN DO IT.

System Relied on to Master Tasks in Masculine Fashion.

Chicago clergymen of many denominations will sweep, dust, make beds, cook, and clear up after lunch today, that their wives may devote their time to the fight against the saloons. The women will meet at noon at Willard hall and form an organization that from now until election day will be active in the campaign for local option. Miss Alice N. Aldrich will be chief speaker.

The agreement of the clergymen to do the housework for one day and relieve their wives from domestic cares came as a result of an appeal yesterday by Miss Lucy Page Gaston of the Anti-Cigaret league and Mrs. Emily Hill, president of Cook county W. C. T. U.

These women formed a committee which attended meetings of the ministers of all the Protestant denominations and asked the clergymen to enlist the aid of their wives against the liquor traffic. The request also was made by Mrs. Hill at a massmeeting at the Lyric theater.

Whether the pulpit is the place best fitted to train a person for doing housework without demonstrated for the first time in many cases. Some of the clergymen admitted a lack of experience in cooking, this being the branch of housekeeping about which the most qualms were felt.

Think the Task Simple.

Others added, airily, that the work was simple enough, and declared themselves glad of the chance to show the other branch of the family what an easy time she had been having and how soon the work can be done up when undertaken with intelligence.

The women—most of them secretly, others more openly—said they were altogether willing the men should show them.

"I don't know how much work I will have to do, but what there is will be well done. I am sure of that," said the Rev. F. M. Garson of Lakeview Presbyterian church. "The little questions of keeping house soon will disappear when undertaken with a logical system. My wife always seems to be busy, but it may be that women don't work to the best advantage."

Dr. Edgar F. Hill of McCormick seminary also is confident of his ability to run the house.

"If Mrs. Hill attends the meeting, you can find me at home, keeping the house in order," he declared.

Nothing Daunts the Rev. Mr. Bartlett.

With sleeves rolled up and dust protector on his head, the Rev. W. A. Bartlett of the First Congregational church will undertake domestic problems, being among the first to agree to relieve Mrs. Bartlett of her housekeeping while she aids in the fight against the saloon. The Rev. Mr. Bartlett heretofore has laid no claims to being a culinary expert, but is confident.

"Just a little system is needed," he assured a listener. "Just keeping things in the proper order. I suppose lunch will be the most important problem, but I probably will arrange to have the meat tasty but hot elaborate; just a few simple things, prepared primarily with an eye to nutriment. Probably boiled eggs will provide the basis of a most satisfactory meal."

The Rev. John Timothy Stone of the Fourth Presbyterian church is one of the scoffers, inclined to doubt the ability of his associates to undertake a day's housekeeping and "get away with it."

"These ministers will have clean hands at any rate by the time they get through washing the dishes," he declared, without committing himself as to his own conduct.

AIMS AT MOXLEY IN OLEO SENTENCE

Landis Directs Inquiry Into "Alliance" Between the Manufacturers and Moonshiners.

SENDS DEALER TO A CELL.

William Broadwell, One of Congressman's Customers, Gets Prison Term and $15,000 Fine.

William J. Moxley, congressman from the sixth district and one of the biggest of the Chicago manufacturers of oleomargarine, is in danger of investigation at the hands of a federal grand jury.

Judge K. M. Landis yesterday directed District Attorney Sims yesterday to [illegible] into the relationship between the [illegible] manufacturers of oleomargarine and [illegible] ly in Kentucky, and the so-called moonshine "alliance."

In sentencing William Broadwell, one of Congressman Moxley's customers, to a year and a day in the penitentiary and a fine of $15,000 for violating the internal revenue laws, Judge Landis directed the district attorney to investigate the matter.

Assistant District Attorney Childs, in charge of the case, announced that he would conduct the investigation.

"We are investigating the manufacture of oleomargarine, and the sale of oleomargarine," said Judge Landis yesterday. "The cases that have been tried have developed several peculiar features. The testimony in them may lead to a grand jury investigation."

Claims It as Moral Work.

Judge Landis in referring to [illegible] repeated several times that he did not share the opinion of some people that a violation of the internal revenue law does not involve moral turpitude.

Assistant District Attorney Childs, in charge of the case, commented on the [illegible] of the cases.

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Says He Counts Ballots.

Representative Lindbergh, in the speech in Washington in the course of which he and the other butterine manufacturers were named, the latter yesterday [illegible] that Julius Landis and District Attorney Sims can [illegible]. He declared that he felt is innocent of aiding and abetting the moonshining, but admitted that the Moxley company might have furnished bonds for customers arrested for violating the revenue law. If such were the case, however, the bonds were furnished contrary to his wishes, Mr. Moxley said.

"It makes no difference to me how much they investigate," said the butterine congressman. "We are under continuous investigation by internal revenue agents. They ought to be able to tell Mr. Sims and Judge Landis whether there is anything wrong going on in our business.

"You can depend upon it that no reputable manufacturer of butterine has anything to do with the moonshining business. The legitimate business is big enough, and the moonshining business isn't worth the risk. Of course, we can't prevent customers from coloring the product.

"We supply the color, and the act of artificial coloring is legal if the product is for consumption by the customer, but it is illegal to sell it.

May Have Suspicions.

"It may be that our employés who sell the produce have pretty strong suspicions regarding the use certain customers put the butterine to—I don't know anything about that. What I do know is that we countenance moonshining in no form."

"Can you state whether your firm furnishes bonds for arrested customers?" the congressman was asked.

"Well, if they have done anything of this kind my boys know that it is contrary to my wishes," he replied. "I can't say positively what they have or have not done since I was elected to congress. All I can say is that I never have known of such a thing being done. I'm sure we furnished no bonds for Broadwell. I know a retail dealer in butterine of this name, but did not know that he was in trouble."

Although none of the Treasury officials at

Washington would discuss the action of Judge Landis, they were hard put to it to conceal their satisfaction. The punishment of Broadwell is one of the most severe imposed for such violation, so far as the records of the treasury department show.

Buy Oleo from Moxley.

William Broadwell, his brother Edward, Driesbach, and Bortz conducted their business at 193 Madison street until there was a parting of the ways and Driesbach went into business by himself. Driesbach, while with the Broadwells, is alleged to have done much of the buying of white oleomargarine. One of the Broadwells is said to have once been a downtown agent for Moxley.

Government reports read to Judge Landis by Assistant District Attorney Childs showed that Driesbach and the Broadwells had bought white oleomargarine during the six months ending Jan. 1 from the big manufacturers as follows:

William J. Moxley, 75,364 pounds.
John F. Jelke company, 40,998 pounds.
Swift & Co., 26,820 pounds.

It was Thomas Dudman, Moxley's purchasing agent, who disclosed that Moxley provides bonds for the "moonshiners" that are his customers, when they are arrested. Mr. Dudman was called into court by direction of the judge.

"When you went on the bonds of these men, Mr. Dudman, did you expect to be indemnified in case there were any losses?" asked Judge Landis.

"Yes, sir," was the reply.

"Who was going to indemnify you?"

"My employer, Mr. Moxley."

"Downtown restaurant men who buy colored oleo for 16 cents a pound were not going to indemnify you?"

"No, sir."

Tells of Sales to Restaurants.

Driesbach in the morning testified that 90 per cent of the downtown restaurant keepers buy illegally colored oleomargarine, and also said he had been able to get coloring matter from the Moxley concern, but proved taciturn at the afternoon session and refused to answer any further questions.

Mr. Childs, when the cases were taken before the court on pleas of guilty by all the defendants but Edward Broadwell, told Judge Landis he had evidence that the men sold 1,300 pounds of "moonshine" butterine daily, most of it to restaurants in the loop.

"Yes, I sold large quantities of colored oleomargarine in the loop district," said Driesbach, in answer to a question in the morning.

"You had a contract by the year, did you not, to furnish Pitzley & Ehler, who have five lunchrooms downtown, with the product for 16 cents a pound?" the witness was asked by the court.

"Yes, sir. I had such a contract for 1909," said Driesbach.

"Who did you make the contract with?"

"Mr. Ehler."

Small Margin for Profit.

"I will say to your honor," said Mr. Childs at this point, "that while oleomargarine cost 12 to 14½ cents a pound last year."

"How were you able to make a price of 16 cents a pound under those conditions?" asked the court of Driesbach.

"I don't know," was the only reply forthcoming.

"If a restaurant keeper is making a contract to get colored oleomargarine at 16 cents a pound," said the court, "it would almost appear to me that the restaurant keeper or the man he buys it from were engaged in a conspiracy."

"If one buying colored oleomargarine, believing it to have been made illegally, under the law, is subject to a fine of $50 for offense,

"The evidence we have," said Mr. Childs to the court, "shows that they colored nearly all of the white oleomargarine they bought. The coloring matter was sent by the manufacturers they got it from."

"The manufacturers send as much coloring matter as the buyers want with each tub, and make no charge for it."

Aims at the Manufacturers.

"Is there anything," asked Judge Landis, "to indicate that Moxley and these other manufacturers knew what was being done with the large quantities of white oleo they sold to certain persons?"

"Manufacturers must make a daily report of all the white oleomargarine they sell," said Mr. Childs, "and file it with the collector of internal revenue. If the manufacturer sold large quantities of his uncolored output and knew that the purchaser was handling it in a way forbidden by law, wouldn't he and the men who assisted it illegally be guilty of conspiracy to defraud the United States?" queried the attorney for the prosecutor.

"Yes," was Mr. Childs' reply. "I think there would be a conspiracy."

"I have been impressed in cases before," broke in the court, "that a manufacturer could not sell such large quantities and not be aware of the use it was being put to. If the manufacturer of the white product did know this—that he was selling to moonshiners—I think there's a case of conspiracy."

Says Trade Is Within Law.

The propositions presented by Judge Landis were submitted to John Dadie, secretary of William J. Moxley Inc., in the afternoon, and he said:

"This company does a strictly legitimate business. Everything we do is within the law. We have a right to furnish customers with coloring matter for use in coloring oleomargarine for their own table use. The law so provides."

"But, how about the Broadwells?"

"We cannot know what they do with the oleomargarine they get from us," was the reply.

"Not even when they have become notorious as moonshiners from repeated arrests and compromises with the revenue department?"

"I don't know that there have been more than a few arrests and there were no convictions. I say this company does business entirely within the law. We make reports to the collector on all we sell."

Says He Doesn't Know.

"Why is it that Mr. Moxley provides bonds for customers of his concern when they are arrested?"

"I know nothing about that. All I know is we're complying with the law."

Records in the office of United States Commissioner Mark A. Foote show that during the last year between a dozen and eighteen bonds of alleged oleomargarine law violators, including several for the Broadwells and Driesbach, have been signed by Thomas Dudman as Congressman Moxley's representative.

HEAVY EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS ARE RECORDED AT ST. LOUIS.

Father Goesse, in Charge of Seismograph, Believes There Is Great Upheaval in Some Part of the Globe.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 28.—Six heavy earthquake shocks were recorded this afternoon and tonight by the seismograph at St. Louis university, and Father Goesse, in charge of the instrument, believes a great upheaval of the earth's crust is in progress in some part of the globe.

Five shocks were recorded between 3 and 4 o'clock this afternoon and the sixth shock, the most severe of all, was recorded at 7:40 o'clock. Tonight's shock lasted a minute and 30 seconds, the instrument showing a vibration of four millimeters.

Tremors Recorded at Cleveland.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 28.—Earthquake tremors lasting over an hour were recorded here this afternoon by the seismograph at St. Ignatius observatory. The Rev. Frederick Odenbach stated that the tremors evidently came from a long distance, but that he would not be able to locate them until he could make calculations tomorrow morning.

Grade Crossing Question Postponed.

After a brief discussion the Cicero town council last night postponed the question of grade crossings until Thursday night.

HOUSE MEMBERS RUSH TO CAPITAL

Emergency Call Is Issued to Administration Men to Defeat Lorimer Coup.

SCHMITT BILL IN PERIL.

Gov. Deneen Works to Save Waterway Measure from Speedy Slaughter.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 28.—[Special.]—Upon the strength of a tip that the Schmitt deep waterway bill will be reported to the house tomorrow morning and that the Lorimer lieutenants will attempt to kill the enacting clause, every member of the house has been directed to rush to Springfield.

Representative Morton D. Hull, chairman of the regular Republican caucus and leader of the Deneen forces in the house, got wind of the alleged Lorimer plot as soon as he arrived in Springfield this afternoon and at once began the hurry up calls to the administration representatives to get on the job immediately and be ready for a roll call upon the waterway bill as soon as Representative Smejkal formally can report the Schmitt bill in the morning.

It is because of the intimation which came to Hull that Speaker Shurtleff has warned all of the "organization" members of the house to be in their seats at the moment that the reading of the journal is completed.

Lorimer Letter Held a Blind.

The allegation in Springfield is that the Lorimer letter on waterway, which was sent out broadcast from Washington by Lorimer's publicity experts, is intended to be the "stall." The idea is held by Deneen men here tonight that the game is to permit the administration element to be led into the belief that there will be no test upon the Schmitt bill, so that enough pro-Deneen votes will be missing to warrant the Lorimer interests to report out the Schmitt bill and defeat it on the floor of the house, and by such means clear their skirts of any charge of holding up the Schmitt bill in the Smejkal deep waterway committee.

Springfield holds the view that there is nothing new in the Lorimer letter, in view of the fact that it is no more than a reiteration of what Lorimer has asserted at all stages of the waterway fight. In the light of such construction of the Washington utterance of the junior senator, the letter to the legislators is construed as a convincing piece of evidence that the Lorimerites have several cards up their sleeves which they will be ready to play when the house assembles tomorrow morning.

Deneen Has Lined Up Votes.

Gov. Deneen, it is known, has been preparing for just such an emergency and has been spending a busy five days since the legislature quit last week in lining up public votes for the Schmitt bill. It is the view of the administration managers that all that is necessary for house ratification of the Schmitt bill is to get it out for a fair and square roll call on the floor of the house, and that in such event enough votes will be registered for it to manufacture the bill into a law.

With Deneen men missing from the house tomorrow and with the control of affairs entirely in the hands of the Lorimer influence and a bunch of Democrat downstate voters who are openly antagonistic to any sort of legislation which would authorize the flotation of the $20,000,000 bond issue, the Lorimerites see a chance to kill the Schmitt bill and pass the waterway problem over to the next general assembly, which is to be only real point Lorimer desires to achieve.

Should there be enough proadministration representatives here tomorrow the chances are that the Schmitt bill will not be reported out and no vote will be taken. Speaker Shurtleff is reported to be determined that he will not do business for any Lorimer proposition by gavel methods and that each side will have a square deal when the showdown comes.

Every One Anxious to Quit.

The disposition on all hands now is to clean up on everything which is left, scheduled for passage, and get a sine die adjournment Wednesday night. The administration element is convinced that if the Schmitt bill does not come out tomorrow there is no use of "playing horse" further. Upon this theory the Deneen people will vote for a sine die adjournment and most of the matters asked for by the governor in his special session call will go to the discard.

Lorimer himself, it is declared, wishes for a long recess, preferring to take the chances with the present membership of the general assembly to elect a United States senator should a vacancy occur for any cause. Some of Lorimer's best allies are opposed to this proposal, however, and as between a sine die adjournment on Wednesday and a long recess resolution, it is probable that the legislature will quit business entirely.

It is the report that the joint conference committee on the commission form of government bill is to have a compromise report which will be agreeable to both houses. The conference committee was to have met here tonight, but negotiations have been completed, according to the report, which will eliminate the Daily corporation amendments, so objectionable to the public service corporations through the state, and an average is to be struck as between the 75 per cent recall proposition demanded by the house and the 40 per cent amendment inserted by the senate, which will permit the conference report to be accepted on both sides of the capitol.

Chance for Election Amendments.

The amendments to the election laws will have one more chance for life if Chairman Flannigen of the house elections committee keeps his word and gets a meeting of the house elections committee tomorrow. The meeting is to be held, according to his own announcement last week, after the house session tomorrow, so that there will be no opportunity to report the bill in tomorrow and thus make another legislative day necessary for affirmative action upon the bills should they be reported out of Flannigen's committee.

This would mean a session Thursday, which is quite improbable in view of the Democratic aldermanic primaries in Chicago on that day. Heavy pressure is due to be exerted on the Flannigen committee tomorrow, but there seems to be little hope for affirmative action, either in the committee or in the house.

The senate is due to report in Springfield Wednesday to clean up whatever is left for it to do by the house and to agree to any proposition which will be made for either a sine die adjournment or a long recess.

LAST CALL FOR CORPORATIONS.

Returns from Those Subject to Tax Law Must Be In by Midnight Tonight.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28.—[Special.]—The returns of the 400,000 corporations in the United States subject to the corporation tax law must be in the hands of the collectors of internal revenue by tomorrow at midnight.

Just how many of these returns have been received by the collectors of the sixty-six internal revenue districts of this country was not known at the office of the commissioner of internal revenue tonight, and Royal E. Cabell, commissioner, did not hazard a guess.

He has been told that some corporations, for reasons specified in the act levying the tax, have asked for an extension of thirty days. If the corporations complied with the provisions of the act, and gave the excuses specified in the act, such extension, he said, had been granted by the collectors.

Wins Battle for Long Hair Pins.

Miss Nan Davis

Miss Nan Davis, by a letter she wrote to the city council, won a fight for the "long hatpin." Despite Ald. Bauler's plea for making this "weapon" shorter, the aldermen sent the proposed ordinance to a committee, where it is doomed to die like a similar one about a year ago.

CULLOM AIDS LORIMER PLAN

Senior Senator Saves Day for Waterway Appropriation.

HAS GOOD CHANCE TO PASS.

Bickerings Over Patronage Are Laid Aside for the Present.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28.—[Special.]—Burying their differences on the disposition of Illinois political patronage, Senators Cullom and Lorimer walked into the senate commerce committee room like two brothers today and proceeded to whoop it up for the Illinois section of the lakes to the gulf deep waterway, for which the river and harbor bill now under consideration makes a preliminary appropriation of $1,000,000.

Senator Cullom "went to the front strong" for the Lorimer waterway plan, which the bill embodies, and the indications are that if the appropriation is accepted by the senate committee it will be because of the sponsorship of the senior senator.

It was on the cards to make short work of the Illinois item, to which considerable opposition has developed in the senate. Senator Lorimer, who is a newcomer in the upper house and 51 per cent Democratic at that, is looked upon by the senate leaders as a good deal of an interloper.

Cullom's Words Win Recognition.

A bill backed by the junior senator alone is not likely to get far. So it fell out that there was an inclination to cut short the discussion of Mr. Lorimer's waterway scheme when Senator Cullom rose from his seat beside his colleague and interposed in such a telling manner that the committee turned about face and decided to hear all the arguments on the program. The two Illinois senators appeared to be on the best of terms, and it is understood that they will not bicker over patronage until the waterway bill is disposed of.

Senator Lorimer's witnesses held the boards during the day, Engineer Lyman E. Cooley displayed his maps and charts and explained how easy it would be to build a fourteen foot waterway through Illinois.

"It is futile to build a waterway of a depth less than fourteen feet," he asserted. "A waterway must be able to carry barges, the maximum capacity of which will offer effective competition to the capacity of railroad freight trains. Otherwise your waterway never will compete to any appreciable extent with the railroads."

Will Make Warships Cheaper.

Mr. Cooley told the senators how the waterway would make it possible to build battleships on the great lakes more cheaply than on the seaboard because of the nearer access to the supply of Lake Superior iron ore for armor plates. He said he could float the hulls of battleships through his fourteen foot canal and complete their equipment at New Orleans.

Edward Hines, the Chicago lumberman, said that if the waterway were built great quantities of cheap lumber would be brought up the Mississippi valley to Chicago for boxmaking. This lumber now goes to waste, he said.

Capt. Hamilton will appear tomorrow to demonstrate that lake vessels are strong enough to sail the ocean, while Rear Admiral Sperry will combat this contention. The former was invited by Senator Lorimer and the latter by Senator Burton, who is opposed to the waterway. Representatives Graff, Madden, Lundin, and Moxley attended the hearing to attest the interest of Illinois in the approval of the appropriation.

TRY FOR LONG DISTANCE IN AIR.

Two Balloonists Leave San Antonio in an Effort to Win the Lahm Trophy.

San Antonio, Tex., Feb. 28.—Elmore B. Harmon of New York and George B. Harrison of Los Angeles started at 9:15 o'clock tonight in the balloon New York on a trip which they hope will result in breaking all records for long distance and win the Lahm trophy, an international cup now held by count de La Vaux of Paris, France. The balloonists are prepared to remain in the air seventy-two hours. The balloon is carrying 208,000 cubic feet of gas.

WINS "LONG HATPIN" FIGHT

Nan Davis Convinces Aldermen Woman Needs Weapon.

BAULER PLEADS IN VAIN.

"Defender" Says It Gives Her Sex Sense of Security.

A woman champion of woman's weapon of defense, the maligned hatpin, put its foes to rout in the common council last night. The unexpected entrant was Miss Nan Davis, 2906 East Seventy-seventh street, who, in a letter to the mayor and lawmakers, protested against an ordinance, fathered by Ald. Herman J. Bauler, prohibiting a greater length for these darts of fashion than a half inch beyond the headgear.

After hearing Miss Davis' plea the council, instead of adopting the alderman's resolution directing the corporation counsel to prepare such an ordinance, sent it to the judiciary committee, where still reposes a similar ordinance introduced a year ago by Ald. Cermak.

Miss Davis is the daughter of a prosperous steel manufacturer. She is studying at the Anna Morgan dramatic studio to fit herself for the stage. Her studies downtown require her to be out late at night and this fact added pertinence to her letter.

Ald. Bauler Pleads in Vain.

In vain did Ald. Bauler plead for the "mere men," whose scarred faces and punctured anatomies demonstrated too close proximity to the slender blades. He favored a fine to be collected from the "pin money" of any woman convicted of violation of the ordinance.

Miss Davis' letter is as follows:

"To the Honorable Mayor and City Council of Chicago.—Mr. Francis D. Connery, City Clerk—Sirs: In behalf of my self and thousands of other women in Chicago who are occasionally on the streets after dark, I want to express an objection which might not appeal to men against the ordinance curtailing the use of hatpins, which comes before your honorable body tonight.

"A hatpin is a woman's weapon of defense. She is no more permitted to carry a revolver or other weapon than is a member of the sterner sex.

Gives Women Sense of Security.

"I always feel safe going home late at night with a hat pin available for protection. Before leaving a street car I always carry a hat pin ready in my hand until I am safe within the door of my house. Many a time it has proved its need. Thousands of other women undoubtedly can speak from their experience of how a stout hat pin has been an effective defense in time of danger.

"Respectfully yours, NAN DAVIS."

The letter was ordered filed.

JEWELRY VALUED AT $50,000 STOLEN WHILE OWNER BATHES

Wife of Broker Reports Loss of Diamond Horseshoe—Said to Be the Largest in Existence.

New York, Feb. 28.—[Special.]—The mysterious disappearance of a diamond horseshoe—regarded as one of the largest in existence—and a diamond heart, aggregating $50,000 in value, from the boudoir of Mrs. Sanford Erlanger, wife of a stock broker, at the Hotel Ansonia last Thursday is baffling the skill of detectives.

The diamonds vanished from a chatelaine bag which Mrs. Erlanger had left on the top of her dresser while she was at her bath.

The detectives think some one entered Mrs. Erlanger's room while the maid was in another part of the five room suite, which is on the fourth floor of the hotel. Mrs. Erlanger declares herself to be utterly at a loss to account for the disappearance.

DELAY EXPOSITION IN BERLIN.

Action Taken by Officials as Result of Opposition to Plan Shown in Germany.

New York, Feb. 28.—The American exposition which was to have been held in Berlin in 1910 has been postponed for a year, and in the end there may be held instead a German-American exposition, to insure support of German interests. Opposition in Germany to the proposed exposition resulted in the postponement.

RANDOLPH 'CALLS' LORIMER PROTEST

Engineer Writes Legislators That State Waterway Program Is Sound.

REPLIES TO EACH POINT.

Answer to the Senator's Letter Says He Has Had a Change of Heart.

Isham Randolph, in a letter to members of the general assembly yesterday, makes a ringing reply to Senator Lorimer's latest attack on Gov. Deneen's waterway program. Every point made by Mr. Lorimer in his communication to the same legislators is controverted by the engineer, who quotes at length from the senator's utterances while the constitutional amendment was under consideration to support his contentions.

The letter of Mr. Randolph begins:

"The public press this morning prints a letter to you from our junior senator, who from his point of vantage in Washington seeks to direct your course of action in Springfield upon the waterway measure known as the Schmitt bill.

"He gives you five reasons why you should oppose that bill. I propose to subject these reasons to the test of truth and logic."

First Point, Federal Aid.

Mr. Lorimer's first objection, in substance, is:

"Because it does not provide for cooperation between Illinois and the United States for building a waterway from the lakes to the gulf, which was the primary object of the constitutional amendment."

To this the engineer replies:

"Now, Mr. Lorimer has taken some credit to himself for being the author of the constitutional amendment, or at least an active participant in its formulation.

"Strangely enough, the authors failed to make any allusion to federal cooperation.

"I have been looking through the senator's utterances which have come down to us in print and I fail to discover any reference to federal cooperation prior to the primary election at which his candidate failed to get votes enough to bring him before the people as a gubernatorial possibility. After that, of course, it was different."

Power "to Divert Water."

The second objection, in brief, is:

"The state has no power to divert water from Lake Michigan without permission from congress."

Mr. Isham finds this contention really is "That the Schmitt bill proposes to divert water from Lake Michigan for water power, which cannot be done without consent of congress," to which he answers:

"The Schmitt mill does not propose to divert any water from Lake Michigan. That bill deals with conditions which exist today. An agency of the state has diverted a large volume of water from Lake Michigan, and it proposes to divert the full volume allotted to it by the international waterways commission, which has reported to the Dominion of Canada and the congress of the United States, recognizing the withdrawal of 10,000 cubic feet a second by the sanitary district of Chicago.

"The Schmitt bill takes cognizance of the assured flow of 10,000 cubic feet a second and the possible total flow of 14,000 cubic feet a second."

Question of Federal Jurisdiction.

The fifth objection is epitomized thus:

"The jurisdiction of congress over all navigable waters in the United States is supreme and unquestioned."

Mr. Randolph disposes of this point as follows:

"Nobody disputes the control of navigable waters of the United States by congress. The state of Illinois assumes no power to withdraw water from Lake Michigan, but it does assume control over waters flowing in channels which the United States government, through its secretary of war, refuses to recognize as navigable waters.

"The secretary of war on Feb. 23, 1907, disposed of that question in the following language: 'It is not that we approve this; it is not that we disapprove it. It is that we have nothing to do with it.'

"No succeeding secretary of war has reversed that ruling. The Schmitt bill assumes that all rights disclaimed by the government are vested in the state. So far as the Economy Light and Power company is concerned, if the state is willing to forego ownership in the power developed at Dresden Heights, that company is prepared to enter into contract to contribute a lock site and the free and unrestricted use of its pool and submerged lands for all of the purposes of navigation without cost to either state or federal government."

Overflow Peril Remote Issue.

Mr. Lorimer's fourth objection is:

"Might overflow low banks. The Schmitt bill makes no provision for taking care of the river below La Salle."

The reply of Engineer Randolph:

"Truly the Schmitt bill does make no provision for taking care of the river below La Salle. Neither did the Cooley bill, or the Smejkal bill, both of which the senator stood for. The territory below Utica, so far as flooding is concerned, will not be affected by what is done up stream from it. If 10,000 cubic feet a second are discharged into the Desplaines river at Joliet, that volume neither will be increased nor diminished by the size or character of the channel between Joliet and Utica, nor by the use made of the water in its passage over the intervening territory."

Goes Into History of Matter.

The closing objection of the senator says he always stood for state and federal cooperation and that the water power project was secondary.

Mr. Randolph quotes at length from Mr. Lorimer's speeches finding only one reference to federal cooperation, and that in the way of a "suggestion." The speeches urge again and again that the project should be supported for its water power features which were stated to "overshadow every other consideration." Says Mr. Randolph:

"That water power is the state's by right and it can have it and the waterway, too. That water power with a flow of 10,000 cubic feet a second is the equivalent of 1,950,000 tons of coal per annum, and with 14,000 cubic feet a second that power is the equivalent of 2,730,000 tons per annum. Think of your state and do your best for it."

ZACH C. ELKIN RESIGNS AS CHICAGO'S CENSUS AGENT.

Man Head of Industrial District for Ten Years Quits Post and Will Be Succeeded by Dr. C. L. Watt.

Zach C. Elkin, for ten years in the employ of the United States government, has resigned as chief special agent of the census of manufactures for the industrial district of Chicago, the resignation becoming effective today.

Dr. C. L. Watt, connected with the census bureau at Washington, D. C., has been appointed to succeed Mr. Elkin. The latter's resignation was shanded in Feb. 15, stating that his personal business interests required all his attention. Dr. Watt will take charge this morning.

Mr. Elkin, who is 38 years old, became associated with the industrial district of Chicago as a statistic compiler when he took charge of the industrial census of 1905. For a number of years Dr. Watt has been attached to the department of commerce and labor in Washington.

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SPEAKS FOR WATERWAY PLAN

Gov. Deneen Says Sale of Current Will Retire Bonds.

CITES REPORTS OF EXPERTS.

State Wants Channel, Executive Tells Engineers.

Gov. Deneen spoke for the state deep waterway project yesterday at a luncheon given by the Chicago Engineers' club at 15 Plymouth court. His address was to a great extent an answer to the contention of opponents that the project had not been considered sufficiently by the people of Illinois before they voted upon the constitutional amendment authorizing a $20,000,000 bond issue.

"The question of a deep waterway," said the governor, "along the route proposed has been the subject of state and national consideration almost from the beginning of our history. The ease with which navigable connection could be established between the great lakes and the Mississippi was known to the Indian inhabitants of this region."

Replying to some of the objections, Gov. Deneen said:

"First, it was objected that the depth of twenty-four feet between Lockport and Brandon's road, provided for in the plans, was unnecessary, and that it was incorporated therein simply because the sanitary district channel at that point was twenty-four feet deep. The fact is, it will require a channel of that depth to carry away the 1,740,000 cubic feet of water a minute which is discharged through the channel between Lockport and Brandon's road during the flood flow in the spring and fall.

Refers to Two Reports.

"Second, it was charged that no reason could be given for a depth of fourteen feet from Brandon's road to Utica. The answer to this contention is found in the report of the federal army engineers and of the internal improvement commission.

"It was claimed that the Lockport to Utica channel would end nowhere. The answer is that the government has assumed charge of the Illinois river from Utica down, for navigation purposes.

"It is well to recall to the attention of the public the growth of the idea regarding the utilization of water power. In the session of the general assembly of 1907 the sanitary district of Chicago sought authority to extend its channel six miles from Lockport to Brandon's road at an expenditure of $1,000,000 per mile, or $6,000,000, on condition that it should be permitted to utilize the water power to be developed.

"Objection was at once made that this water power should inure to the state, and, on consideration, an amendment to the constitution was drafted by the general assembly which permitted the state to utilize all water power between Lockport and the Mississippi river. The Desplaines and Illinois rivers fall 108 feet between Lockport and Utica, a distance of sixty-two miles, and the Illinois river falls but twenty-eight feet between Utica and the Mississippi river, 229 miles away.

Profit in the Water Power.

"The internal improvement commission reported that 143,000 gross electrical horse power could be generated between Lockport and Utica and that it had a market value of $25 per horse power, or an aggregate value of $2,500,000 to $3,000,000 per annum. It was shown that the revenue from water power would retire the bonds for waterway construction and waterway development in a minimum period of fourteen years."

Gov. Deneen spoke of the danger of delay in Chicago harbor plans, saying:

"Here again delay is inimical to the public interests. Delay or failure to act in this regard will plead again to the utilization of public rights by private corporations for private profit."

CAR RECEIVERSHIP IS ENDED.

Cleveland Property Formally Turned Over to Company Which Has Raised $500,000 Interest Fund.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 28.—The receivership into which the Cleveland Street railways were thrown in November, 1908, was ended at midnight tonight and wit it the successful struggle of the people for a 3 cent fare. After the last night car traversed its route the property was formally turned over to the Cleveland Railway company, which has succeeded in raising the $500,000 as an interest fund as directed by the courts.

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MEDICAL COUNCIL HITS 9 COLLEGES

Five in Chicago Declared Unfit to Exist and Four to "Need Improvements."

REPLY BY SCHOOL HEADS.

Charges Asserted to Be Unfair and Based on Prejudice of Association.

Five Chicago medical colleges were branded by the American Medical association's council on medical education yesterday as unfit to be recognized and four others were visited with the qualified criticism that they need "certain improvements" to come up to the standard.

The wholesale condemnation was a bombshell that was exploded in a drastic report that was adopted at the council's meeting in Congress hotel following addresses denouncing unsatisfactory medical schools and charging that the poorly equipped doctor is too great a menace to the public to be allowed to practice.

The colleges condemned without qualification are:

College of Medicine and Surgery, 721 South Wood street.
Hering Medical college.
Illinois Medical college.
National Medical university,
Reliance Medical college.

Those named as "needing improvements" before being worthy of recognition are:

American Medical Missionary college.
Bennett Medical college.
Chicago College of Medicine and Surgery, 704 South Lincoln street.
Hahnemann Medical college and hospital.

The five institutions first mentioned were charged with being "operated for profit, limited in equipment and clinical facilities, and maintaining a low educational standard." The second list is said to be "in need of improvements, such as better enforcement of published requirements and removal of commercial methods." In other particulars they are acknowledged to be "doing fairly good work."

Says Charges Are Unfair.

Deans and directors of the denounced medical schools in Chicago united in saying the charges against their institutions were unfair, prejudiced, and based upon no evidence.

"A proprietary medical college cannot be operated for profit, as it is charged, because it is well known that one cannot be made to pay," said Dr. J. F. Burkholder, dean of the Illinois and president of the Reliance Medical college. "Proprietary medical colleges are conducted simply for the prestige they give the faculty and for the training and experience the instructors receive. My own institutions are in good standing with the state board of health and with the Association of American Colleges."

Dr. H. R. Chislett of Hahnemann Medical college disclaimed the right of the council to dictate to his institution.

"We are amenable only to the state board of health and to the American Institute of Homeopathy," he said. "We are indifferent to the judgments of the council. What action we may take on its charges remains to be seen."

Attorney A. W. Bickwood, representing the National Medical college, said:

"The criticisms of our college are unjust. It is true it has a suit pending in the Superior court against the state board of health for a mandamus restraining the board from withholding recognition. It also has a pending action for damages against the board, in which conspiracy to injure our business is charged against the board members."

Denounced by Dr. Bevan.

The action of the council is the most severe ever taken by a national organization against medical schools. It came after an address by the president, Dr. Arthur Dean Bevan, professor of surgery in Rush Medical college of Chicago.

"We should compel these unsatisfactory schools to come up to the standard or else go out of business," said Dr. Bevan. "The ignorant, poorly trained, and ill qualified doctor is a public danger. The public must be protected against unfit medical advisers who cannot give the best of scientific treatment."

"This action has been taken after investigations covering a period of five years," said Dr. N. P. Colwell, secretary of the council. "We have made the report in response to insistent demands and we are laying ourselves open to the harshest criticism. Undoubtedly no more important step for the betterment of medicine ever has been taken in the United States.

"The only legal barrier which can protect the public from ignorant, untrained, and incompetent practitioners is the state medical licensing board. Yet the medical licensing boards often have to contend with the inconsistency of legislatures, which, after adopting strong medical practice acts, limit the board's power by special legislation for this or that medical sect with educational standards invariably lower than those required of medical practitioners."

Standard Called Too Low.

The report of the council contained a table showing that, although there are nearly as many medical institutions in the United States as in all other countries combined, yet the standard is lower than in foreign countries. The 138 medical schools and colleges in this country were listed in three classes, of which sixty-eight were marked "acceptable," thirty-seven as needing "certain improvements," and thirty-three as "not acceptable."

Besides these institutions it was reported that there are in the United States twenty-two sectarian schools, the graduates of which treat diseases, making a total of 160 schools in this country. The total number in all foreign countries, it was said, is 172.

"If a man can tell what disease he is confronting we don't care so much what kind of treatment he uses. But if an osteopath, for instance, does not know his patient has an inflamed appendix and begins to poke and rub about the abdominal region he is likely to burst the appendix and cause the death of the patient.

"If a man advertises himself it is a pretty good sign he is a quack. Especially doctors who are banded together in 'companies' are to be avoided. They can never be brought to book."

There are too many medical schools and too many doctors in the United States, according to Dr. Henry S. Pritchett, president of the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching, and J. G. Schurman, president of Cornell university.

"During the last ten years 150 schools have graduated on the average 5,000 doctors annually," said Dr. Pritchett. "It seems clear that in large towns one physician to every 1,000 persons; under present hygienic conditions, would be sufficient. In more thinly settled portions one physician to every 1,000 persons would suffice. The actual proportion in the United States is one physician to every 568 persons."

Schurman for Higher Standard.

Extensive preparation in arts and sciences was advocated by President Schurman as prerequisite to matriculation in a medical school.

Dr. N. S. Fullerton, secretary of the Minnesota state board of medical examiners; Dr. A. R. Von Meter, secretary of the Colorado state board of medical examiners; and Dr. George H. Matson, secretary of the Ohio state board of medical registration, spoke on medical tests at state licensee examinations.

"Functions of a University Medical School" was the subject of an address by Dr. Victor C. Vaughan, dean of the University of Michigan College of Medicine and Surgery. Elmer Ellsworth Brown, United States commissioner of education, spoke on "Trends in Medical Education as Related to Trends in General Education."

Today's session of the council will be devoted to the reports of the committee on the organization of a state board on medical examinations and license.

"Lovers of Italy" Enjoy Translating Show.

RECEIVER IN; BOOM BANKRUPT

Chicago Taxicab Company and Ald. McCoid in Same Tangle.

OLD FRIENDS DESERT HIM?

Sixth Ward Council Member Reported Wiped from Slate.

A mixture of business and politics for a period of some six months wound up yesterday in simultaneous receiverships for the Chicago Taxicab company and the candidacy for reelection of Ald. Arthur B. McCoid of the Sixth ward. Immediate steps for the reorganization of the corporation will be taken, but the most ardent supporters of the McCoid candidacy admit that there is slight hope of its resuscitation. The proceedings in the one case were of the friendly sort. In the other it is possible that the action was not prompted by so amicable a feeling.

Ald. McCoid was elected the first president of the "taxi" company, which was organized on an extensive basis declared sufficient to warrant its being labeled a "trust." One of the heaviest investors in its stock was County Treasurer John R. Thompson, whose dictum in Sixth ward politics is taken as final. When the securities of the corporation took a drop the political stock of the individual at its head suffered a relapse. It now is practically assured that Ald. McCoid will withdraw his candidacy for reelection.

Hurt by Tracy Failure.

According to the friends of County Treasurer Thompson, he and a few other large stockholders stanchly stood by the Chicago Taxicab company after the failure of W. W. Tracy, one of its organizers, threw its affairs into a sad tangle. Among the others who stuck to the ship were Fred W. Upham, Jacob L. Kesner, Charles M. Hewitt, and W. W. Gurley, who, in addition to being a stockholder, was counsel for the corporation. When the tangle refused to straighten out they agreed upon a friendly receivership and went before Judge Walker, who appointed Edgar C. Frady as the man to carry out the policy of "paying 100 cents on the dollar" to which they were sworn.

The receiver was appointed on petition of Harold Leopold. The concern originally was capitalized at $2,000,000 and then reduced to $500,000, of which only $300,000 has been paid in. The debts amount to about $63,000. The business is to be continued, it is announced.

Effect on McCoid's Candidacy.

Ald. McCoid said last evening he could see no reason why his candidacy should be affected by the taxicab receivership. But during his absence at the city council meeting an authoritative report was spread that the support of the organization would be shifted to a "solid business man" in the northwest corner of the ward, that is, west of Cottage Grove avenue and north of Forty-third street, which, according to the leaders, has a worthy "geographical claim" to the honor.

Friends of Howard W. Hayes, one of the most active of the assistants to Corporation Counsel Edward J. Brundage, insisted that his refusal to run so long as the organization was behind McCoid would be withdrawn, and that he would ented the race.

He left Chicago early in the evening, but it was stated by his friends that he had been promised the indorsement of the Municipal Voters' league, and that he would announce his candidacy at the first sign of favor from the organization. On the other hand, it was said he did not answer the description of the man with the "geographical claim" to the nomination.

AUSTIN MAN DIES AT 103; HAD 17 GRANDCHILDREN.

Thomas Sheridan Was Keen and Active Until He Expired—Married Before Queen Victoria Ascended the Throne.

Thomas Sheridan, who had lived over a third of a century beyond the allotted three score and ten, died yesterday at his granddaughter's residence in Austin at the age of 103. His faculties were acute up to the time of his death, and he had a keen sense of humor.

Sheridan was born in County Mayo, two years before Lincoln was born in Kentucky. He was a gentleman farmer who preserved the manners and traditions of the "ould sod" of a century ago.

He married in 1836, the year before Queen Victoria's accession to the throne, Bridget Geary, by whom he had several children, of whom Thomas Duffy Jr., Mrs. Timothy Nester of Austin, Mrs. Frances McManus, and Mrs. Paul De Champlin, seventeen grandchildren, and eight great-grandchildren survive him. Five years later the young couple came to America in a sailing vessel, which took forty days for the trip, and for many years Sheridan was engaged in the lumber business in Saginaw and Marina, Mich.

MINER LEAVES TRAIL OF GOLD.

Alaskan Stops in Chicago on Way to New York to Spend His Fortune.

Leaving a trail of gold, silver, and currency Dr. Mark Lawrence Sullivan of Fairbanks, Alaska, left the Congress hotel last night for New York for the purpose of spending the money he has made during the last ten years.

He reached Chicago yesterday morning, and when he registered told Clerk John Burke that he had made a fortune in a mining venture.

"I am now going to spend it," he said as he handed the clerk a $20 gold certificate and Assistant Florentine a $10 bill. He presented Miss M. I. Monroe, cashier, with $20; gave Mrs. Minnie Logan, the bookkeeper, $20; and then scattered 50 cent pieces and silver dollars among the bellboys, cabmen, and others about the hotel.

$67.00 New York and Return
Via the Baltimore and Ohio railroad. Merchants' meeting. Certificate plan. Tickets on sale March 5, 6, 7, and 8, valid for return within 30 days. Stopover at Newark, O.; Akron, O.; Pittsburgh; Washington, Baltimore, and Philadelphia. Send for circular. Ticket office, 244 Clark street.—Adv.

THREATEN TO ROAST WOMAN

Robbers Tell Mrs. Sadie Rosenbloom They'll Put Her on Stove

SHE SCREAMS; IS GAGGED.

South Sider Will Give Reward for Stolen Keepsakes.

Two robbers who awoke Mrs. Sadie Rosenbloom early yesterday morning in her house, 1016 West Randolph street, and demanded she tell where her valuables were hidden threatened to throw her on a hot stove if she refused.

She did refuse, bursting into screams. The robbers bound and gagged her and ransacked the house at leisure. They got diamonds and other articles of jewelry valued at $700 and $50 in currency.

The burglars, both masked and armed, broke the lock on the rear door of the flat, which is on the second floor of the building.

"After they had wakened me," Mrs. Rosenbloom said last night, "one man held a revolver close to my head and said if I did not tell where my jewelry was he would shoot me. I struggled and they tied me with the sheets.

"Then the taller of the two men said, 'Come on, Bill, we will throw her on the stove and make her tell where she hid her sparks.'

"At that I screamed louder than I had done before and they put a pillow slip in my mouth so that no one could hear me."

Chance for a Burglar.

If the burglar who robbed James Brandt Latimer, 1404 Fifty-sixth street, a week ago revisits the house and returns a few of the treasured articles that are yet in his possession he will be lavishly entertained and rewarded. A "spread" is already prepared for him in the dining room, and it is hoped that he will see fit to claim the reward.

A silver cream jug and sugar bowl that had been the wedding presents of Mrs. Caroline Wormeley, Mr. Latimer's grandmother, in England more than 100 years ago, was stolen, a gold ring worn by Miss Ellen Wise, daughter of Gov. Henry A. Wise of Virginia, at the outbreak of the war also was taken. Miss Wise married William Carrington Mayo of Richmond, Va., and the ring was handed to her granddaughter, Mrs. Latimer.

"I will promise that the burglar will go from this home unmolested if only he is considerate enough to return those few articles," said Mr. Latimer.

Mining Engineer Is Robbed.

James E. Siske, a mining engineer, says Chicago is a bad place. At Sherman and Van Buren street Sunday night and Dr. James J. Kelley, a New York physician, were attacked from the rear by three well dressed strangers. When they came to they were minus $115 and certified checks to the amount of $2,400.

LICENSE TO WED IS REFUSED.

Story Told by Prospective Groom About His Intended Cause of Clerk's Action.

County Clerk Russell H. Jones of Kenosha declined yesterday to issue a license for the marriage of Miss Ettrida S. Andee, a Chicago girl, and E. Hjalmer Ostlund, a Kenosha machinist, because the girl is alleged to have been married under a hypnotic spell.

Ostlund said the girl spent but one day with the man she had married and was not aware of what she had done until released from hypnotic influence. He did not know whether a divorce had been secured.

It is said that the marriage took place in Chicago. The application for the license states that the bride is a daughter of Andrew Anderson of Chicago, but took the name of Andee many years ago.

BUSINESS MENTION.

CASTORIA
Bears the signature of CHAS. H. FLETCHER. In use for over thirty years, and THE KIND YOU HAVE ALWAYS BOUGHT.

'SPOON' IN DEPOT; LAND IN JAIL

"Holding Hands" Causes Detectives to Suspect Elopers.

TELL OF THEIR ROMANCE.

"We Used to Shoo Flies Off Dad's Horses," Says Young Man.

Caring naught for the smiles of those who saw them holding hands and talking in an "ootsey tootsey" way, a youth and his affianced sweetheart caused suspicion to be directed toward them yesterday at the La Salle street station, which resulted in their arrest as an eloping pair.

They were Johnny Robb, 19 years old, and Jennie Mool, aged 16. Both live at Evergreen Park, a suburb on the Rock Island road.

The boy is a son of Jacob Robb, the village blacksmith, and Miss Jennie is a truck farmer's daughter.

While they sat in the waiting room they addressed each other as "babe" and "dear." Detectives Conroy and Harrington spied the young couple and suspected them of being runaways.

Admit They Were to Wed.

They were questioned, and both admitted they were planning a runaway marriage, which was to take place at Crown Point, Ind., tomorrow.

The parents of the couple were notified, and it developed that the girl's mother was opposed to the marriage. On complaint made by her, both were locked up on a charge of disorderly conduct. The girl was placed in care of the matron at Harrison street annex, while her fiancé was put in a cell with two other prisoners.

"I don't see what they arrested us for," said Robb, who is employed at the Excelsior Printing company. "I love the girl and she loves me. We want to get married, but there is a slight objection on her mother's part. I think that can be overcome when I get an increase in salary.

"I've known Jennie ever since we both were kids. We used to attend the same school, and I learned to love her.

Used to Shoo Flies Off Dad's Horses.

"My father is a blacksmith and when Jennie and I were kids we used to shoo the flies off horses for dad and he would give us pennies to buy candy.

"Some time ago Jennie went to work for a family at Gresham. Gee! but it was lonesome without her. She used to come home every Sunday and then I would see her.

"When she came in from Gresham yesterday I met her and arranged to take a train into the city. Now we're married.

"I'm getting $10 a week now and expect a raise to $12 in a short time. We ought to be able to live on that and save something, too."

ELI PFAELZER, DISINHERITED, TO CONTEST PACKER'S WILL.

Document, Admitted to Probate, Says Son Has Been Already Provided For —Estate Only Valued at $170,000.

Disinherited in his father's will, admitted to probate yesterday, Eli Pfaelzer, former member of the meat packing firm of Louis Pfaelzer & Sons, has decided to make a contest.

The late Louis Pfaelzer is declared to have left an estate worth half a million dollars, though the figure named in the will is but $170,000. Three sons, David, Abraham, and Jonas L., together with two daughters, are named as the beneficiaries. Eli Pfaelzer receives nothing because, the will sets forth, he had already been provided for.

Announcement of the contest was made by Attorney Samuel Barkson. Eli has not been connected with the meat packing firm established by his father since 1902, when he went into the dressed beef business for himself.

Louis Pfaelzer died at Excelsior Springs, Mo., Jan. 21. Mrs. Pfaelzer died six months ago.

"I have no reasons to assign for my father's not making Eli a beneficiary," said David Pfaelzer. "I suppose he knew what he was about. You'll have to see my lawyer."

LOVERS OF ITALY TRANSLATE PLAY

Hobart Chatfield-Taylor and Circle Enjoy Performance in Romance Tongue.

STUDENTS REVEL IN IT.

Guessing Mingled with Wisdom at Entertainment in West Side Theater.

"Sotto gli auspici dell'illustre scrittore H. Chatfield-Taylor, cavalier della corona d'Italia."

Must be something about Chatfield-Taylor?

Right!

And the way others floundered through it at the "Teatro Garibaldi" last night until they reached the familiar combination of letters contributed genuine comedy on one side of the footlights while a company of Italian players was doing it on the other.

It was "society"—American and Italian—night at the little west side playhouse.

Antonio Maiori, a Neapolitan theapian with a supporting company, has been booked at the place for several days. Last week Mr. Taylor bethought him it would be great for members of his society, "Lovers of Italy," to take in the show. The suggestion was approved enthusiastically and seats were reserved. But an enterprising manager tipped it off to his own constituents, and when the orchestra crashed into the overture last night the cream of Italian society in Chicago occupied all the good seats not held by the "Lovers of Italy" and their friends.

The curtain raiser was a little playlet called "Devil Chase Devil."

Lovers of Italy Arrive.

In the middle of the playlet an automobile horn snorted in front of the theater and in a moment opera capes and silk hats were filing down the aisles to the boxes. Comfortably seated, the theater programs got first attention.

A popular matron from the Lake Shore drive got away with it first.

"Notice this little thing about Mr. Taylor, dear?" she asked.

"Dear" noticed it, smiled intelligently, and replied: "Yes, I didn't know he had written a play in Italian."

One of the men in the box shifted uneasily for a minute or two and then disappeared. When discovered he had the manager of the theater backed up under a stairway in the basement.

"What does this truck mean?" he demanded.

"Under the auspices of the illustrious writer, H. Chatfield-Taylor, knight of the crown of Italy," came the reply.

Well loaded, the inquirer climbed another stairway to a second boxful of "Lovers of Italy."

"Pretty little thing about Taylor," he advanced offhand. Then he retailed the rest and by the time the show was over was posing as an Italian authority.

Iconoclasts Are Present.

Goldoni's "La Locandiera" was the real offering at the Garibaldi last night and a bunch of iconoclastic individuals who were neither "society" nor Italians and got into the show on passes agreed it was the goldarndest thing Goldoni ever did.

It seems that Mirandolina ran a hotel somewhere or other. Cavaliere de Ripafratta, Marchese di Forlipopi, and Conte di Albaflorita were registered at the place when the thing started. The count and the cavalier both were in love with the landlady and the marquis allowed that he'd like to see the woman who could get him going. But anybody that ever had been to a show could see right at the start that she was going to land the old marquis. And that's what she did. But just as soon as she had them all dippy she turned around and married the head dish washer, Fabrizio, cameriere di locanda.

There may be some question about Fabrizio; maybe Servitore del Cavalier was the one she married. But even such a resumé of the plot as is furnished would have been wanting had not THE TRIBUNE reporter been fortunate in finding a seat beside Prof. F. C. L. van Steenderen, head of the romance languages department of Lake Forest college, who was there with his entire Italian class.

Students Prove Inquisitive.

Every ten lines some member of the class ran over to the accommodating linguist with: "Is that where she gets the marquis?" or, "What did he say then?" Translation was abandoned, however, when one student exclaimed: "Didn't he say 'infanta cerebellum' then?"

In the boxes the "Lovers of Italy" were doing their best to keep heads above water. In the middle of the first act it was plainly evident something important was about to break. Elvira Remondini let the cat out of the bag. She ran down to the footlights and exclaimed:

"Gli volete far questo affronto!"

It seemed just about the right thing to get off at that time and kid gloves and those that really knew applauded.

Maiori, the star, nearly broke up the show one time. You could see he was getting ready for a good one. He ran close to one of the boxes and let off:

"Eh furbetta! Vi burlo eh!"

Everybody else thought so, too, and the boxes led the applause.

Among those present who were hosts and hostesses to small and large parties were: Mrs. Chatfield-Taylor, Mrs. Harold McCormick, Prof. Walter Bridgeman, Prof. Van Steenderen, Miss Aleida Van Steenderen, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hubbard, Prof. Curtis H. Page, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur T. Aldis, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kirk, Edward L. Baker, Burton Holmes, Alessandro Mastro-Valerio, Lodife Romani, Italian vice consul; Chevalier C. Volini, Chevalier G. Bigiarelli, the Rev. Marquis P. Petacci, and Maestro Vecchione.

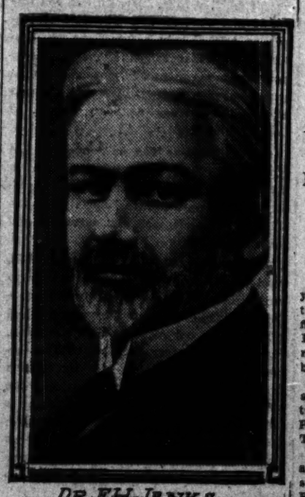
WINS BRIDE; DEATH STEPS IN.

Chicago Man, Married After Thirteen Years' Courtship, Mourns Wife Following Operation.

Death, resulting from an operation for appendicitis, shattered a romance yesterday, begun in Chicago thirteen years ago, culminating in marriage six weeks ago in Brooklyn, N. Y. Mrs. Eugenie Baker, 35 years old, the bride, expired at the Francis Willard National Temperance hospital, 710 South Lincoln street, yesterday. Mrs. Baker was taken to the hospital last Sunday by her husband, S. S. Baker, 2020 West Jackson boulevard. Dr. Charles Adams of Kenilworth performed the operation. Mrs. Baker was Miss Eugenie Tallman of Brooklyn and had met her husband at a dancing party given at Warren avenue hall.

Vaughan's Seeds 84 & 86 Randolph St.

Chief of Insane Asylum at Elgin.



DR. F. H. JENKS

Dr. Frank H. Jenks of Aurora yesterday was appointed superintendent of the Illinois State hospital at Elgin in the place of Dr. V. H. Podstata, whose resignation will be effective March 15.

Dr. Jenks has been the assistant superintendent of the Elgin institution since October, 1905. He had been a subordinate of the asylum organization prior to his appointment as assistant, but had resigned and for an interval of several years had been engaged in the practice of medicine in Aurora.

Dr. Podstata's resignation was to have been effective March 1, but yesterday was extended fifteen days to allow for certain administrational delays incident to the change of officers.

UNION ETHICS SUIT'S ISSUE

Andrew B. Adair, Veteran Printer, Promises Court Action.

CHARGE OF VILIFICATION.

Throws Bombshell Into Meeting of Typographical Body.

Andrew B. Adair, one of the oldest members of Chicago Typographical union No. 16 and for the last twenty-five years foreman of the composing room of the Daily News, is going to precipitate a legal fight involving union ethics and methods which may have farreaching effects.

At a meeting of the union last Sunday afternoon Mr. Adair claimed the floor on a question of personal privilege. He was given the right to speak and then threw a bombshell into the gathering. He declared that in the last six months a campaign had been waged against him in which he had been vilified, maligned, and lied about by certain members of the union.

Adair to Fight Back.

This campaign of calumny, he declared, had damaged his character, and he thereupon served notice on the union that he was going to take personal methods to stop the defamation of his character and punish the men whom he charged with spreading derogatory stories about him.

Mr. Adair announced that in a day or two he would start legal action against four or five of his fellow unionists. The first suit will be civil, charging defamation of character and asking damages. After this suit is started, he asserted he would appeal to State's Attorney Wayman and institute criminal proceedings.

Mr. Adair's remarks created a sensation. They were received practically in silence.

Phone Message as Evidence.

It is understood that a former president of the union will be one of the defendants. A telephonic communication to Mrs. Goodall, owner of the Drovers' Journal, on which recently there was composing room trouble, will enter into the suit, it being alleged that one of the men against whom Adair will bring suit called her up, represented himself as Adair, and sought by this subterfuge to obtain evidence against Adair which would show that he was guilty of action which might be called unethical from a union point of view.

SUES TO CUT OFF W. L. FISHER'S PAY

"Taxpayer" Asks Injunction Restraining City and Traction Lawyer.

RAISES A LEGAL POINT.

Money Not Drawn Properly from Mayor's Contingent Fund, He Alleges.

Walter L. Fisher's rights to the $10,000 a year position as special traction counsel for the city was attacked yesterday in a bill filed in the Circuit court. Attorney David R. Tone, in behalf of Frank W. Jones, designated as a "citizen and taxpayer," drew the bill.

Others made defendants beside the city and Mr. Fisher include Mayor Busse, Controller Wilson, City Treasurer Isaac N. Powell, and former City Treasurer John E. Traeger.

Among the stipulations of the bill is one asking that the city and its officials be restrained from paying any money to Mr. Fisher. Another asks that he be enjoined from receiving any money from the city. The bill also asks for the repayment to the city of $25,000, which represents the amount paid the attorney under Mayor Busse's regime.

Mr. Jones is president of the Illinois Tax Reform league. He formerly was a state senator in Massachusetts.

"The state law provides that all appropriations for cities must be made in the first quarter of the corporate year," said Attorney Tone last night. "There is also provision that every employe of the city must be included in the appropriation.

Purposes of Contingent Fund.

"I hold that the mayor's contingent fund, from which Mr. Fisher's salary now is drawn, cannot be used for such purposes. This fund is for unforeseen and unexpected things—for emergencies—and then can be used only by vote of the council.

"Mr. Fisher was retained by former Mayor Dunne to help in getting municipal ownership of the street railways. This is now a thing of the past, and if Mr. Fisher is going to be retained he should be provided for in the budget, as other city employes are. Otherwise, the duties of special attorney should be taken by the corporation counsel."

Mr. Tone said neither he nor his client questioned the size of Mr. Fisher's salary. He also denied rumors that this action in any way was intended as an impediment to the work of the Merriam commission, of which Mr. Fisher is a member and attorney.

"I intend, however," he added, "to carry it to the Supreme court if necessary."

Fisher Thinks Status Legal.

Mr. Fisher replied to the charges in his bill as follows:

"I don't know what the mayor's contingent fund is for if not for a purpose such as this. I think Corporation Counsel Brundage has contended that the mayor was justified in providing for this position from his fund.

"Now, so far as the extent of the work is concerned, I will say that while it is true I am not a full salary man by the year, I have turned over my whole office to the traction work at times and I have put in as much as 18 hours a day at the office. So far as time and work are concerned the position is a financial loss to me.

"Under ordinary conditions I would not care one way or another about retaining the position, but inasmuch as I have put so much into the middle of traction matters I feel that it is my duty to stay in the position. Much work has been done already and there is much yet to do. There is the boulevard situation, for instance.

"I do not believe Mr. Tone's bill has any legal merit. I was ready today to go ahead with it, but Mr. Tone wanted some time. I will be ready next Monday morning to dispose of it all out in court."

"Entitled to the Money."—Busse.

With reference to the bill, Mayor Busse said:

"I believe that Mr. Fisher earns the money. The work he has done would cost me or him to the salary.

"So far as the contingent fund is concerned I will say this much: I believe it is in keeping with the law to provide for Mr. Fisher's salary from this fund.

"Now, when the finance committee was considering the budget the contingent fund also was considered. It was pointed out to the committee that one of the things to come from the contingent fund was Mr. Fisher's salary. So it may be said that Mr. Fisher's salary was provided for in the budget."

Corporation Counsel Brundage refused to discuss the bill other than to say:

"I intend to defend the city's position with all possible strength. I believe the salaries of Mr. Fisher, taken as it is from the mayor's contingent fund, is justified."

The suit will be heard by Judge Tuley next Monday morning.

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TRUCE ON UNTIL EASTER.

British Premier Forced to Retreat on Many Points in His Program.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Feb. 28.—The prime minister's motion that the government have the monopoly of the time of the house of commons until March 24 having been agreed to without division today, the ministry is safe again until March 29, when the house reassembles after a brief holiday.

The ministry's position remains as unreal, however, as when it was preserved from falling to pieces on Friday by the deliberate abstention of the Unionist members from voting against it. It was saved today by a variety of means, all of which prove its inherent weakness.

With all of its appearance of high importance, with all of its parliamentary accessories of trebly underlined whips, and its theatrical atmosphere of an acute crisis, this evening's debate in the commons was a mere sham.

One thing only it served and that was to keep the flicker of life in the harassed government. It is an intense desire just now to avoid an immediate dissolution. Before the debate opened today it was known that the government would be saved again. The Unionists were ready to come to the rescue if there had been any need.

Asquith Forced to Bow.

The Laborites toed the mark, but Asquith had to get up and kiss the rod. He had to promise to drop the budget and make a pledge also that, before touching it, he would not only pass the resolutions dealing with the lords' veto through the commons, but, contrary to what had been said previously, to send these resolutions up to the lords.

He said enough for the Redmondites, especially when, in respect to obtaining the guarantees of the crown, he declared he would tender to the crown such advice as he thought proper regarding the exigencies of the case. This, of course, was vague, but vagueness is his only refuge, and for the moment this suffices.

When the speaker put the all important question the Nationalists were out of the house solemnly debating what action they should take on the division. Their decision was announced as being to abstain from voting, but before the decision was taken and before the Nationalists left their committee room the prime minister's motion had been passed.

Budget Cannot Be Revived.

Between now and March 24 the house will devote its time to the financial exigencies, such as passing bills for the temporary borrowing for the supplementary estimates, war loans, etc. What will happen afterward it is useless to speculate upon.

The budget is dead. Parts of it, as Gibson Bowles said tonight, are "in such condition that we can nose them as we ascend the stairs." Already there is talk of the government passing one budget for the two years of 1910 and 1911, enabling the chancellor of the exchequer to make it acceptable to the Irish, but once the house reassembles the government's life is not worth a day's purchase.

Whilst the government gets to such a condition as this, old parliamentary hands, the unexpected generally happens, though it may be bolstered up against the greatest and the most obvious dangers. It may fall any day on some snap division.

Substance of Premier's Speech.

The premier's speech outlining the program was a lengthy one. When parliament reassembles after the Easter recess, the premier said, the government will present resolutions affirming the necessity of excluding the house of lords altogether from the domain of finance and restricting its power of veto to other legislation."

To secure this the government, he added, would use all methods that seemed proper and adequate within the limits of the constitution, and upon its successful accomplishment the cabinet and Liberal party would stake not only the fortunes of the ministry but their existence as a party.

The exigencies of the financial situation were such, the premier declared, that the vote on the army and navy bills covering the borrowings and other urgent demands must occupy the whole time of the house of commons up to March 24.

Will Consult with Lords.

Continuing, the prime minister said it would be made plain that these changes were without prejudice and that the government contemplated in the subsequent year the substitution in the second chamber of a democratic for a hereditary basis. A bill giving in effect the operative part of the resolutions would then be introduced, Mr. Asquith said, but in order to avoid waste of time and labor and to bring the matter to an issue at the earliest possible moment the resolutions would be submitted to the house of lords.

"If the house of lords agrees to them, well and good," the prime minister concluded, "but whether it does or does not the government will regard the placing with all possible promptitude upon the statute books of a provision which will set free this house from the veto of the house of lords not only as the first condition of the legislative dignity and utility of the house of commons but as our own primary and paramount duty."

A. J. Balfour, the opposition leader, twitted the premier on the quick changes in the government program and the abandonment of pledges with regard to the budget under pressure from those who had a passionate desire to destroy the lords but who did not have a passionate desire to pass the "people's" budget. The premier's only consideration, Mr. Balfour said, seemed to be to keep the cabinet together.

John Redmond, the Nationalist leader, declared that "nothing that the prime minister has said alters my view, and we ought to vote against the resolution."

PRESS COMMENT ON DEBATE.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, March 1, 3 a. m.—It is not surprising that the debate in parliament last night aroused no enthusiasm on the part of either the opposition or the ministerial press. The editorials in the morning papers which are supporting the government are written in a restrained tone. Little is said of the government's climbdown, which is euphemistically described as "a reformation of the program." Rather vague hopes are expressed that the budget will have a successful passage after all and that in the meanwhile the majority will follow the straight line in attacking the house of lords.

The Unionist press taunts Asquith on making a pitiful surrender to the threats of the malcontents and contemptuously kicking "the people's" budget into a corner. The postponement of the budget for party purposes is strongly condemned and an indescribable confusion in national finances is predicted.

The Conservative Post sharply criticises the tactics of the opposition leaders in this connection, suggesting that they should have endeavored to turn the government out.

LAUDS SELECTION OF CALHOUN.

James Hamilton Lewis in Address at Janesville Pays Tribute to New Minister to China.

Janesville, Wis., Feb. 28.—[Special.]—James Hamilton Lewis of Chicago, in an address tonight at the banquet of the Rock County Bar association, paid a tribute to W. J. Calhoun, whose selection as minister to China he pronounced fitting. Mr. Lewis' theme was "American Problems of Government in the Orient."

LATEST NEWS FROM AFRICA—LEST THEY FORGET.

[Reprinted from THE SUNDAY TRIBUNE.]

[BY JOHN T. M'CUTCHEON.]

NZOIA RIVER, GUAS NGISHU PLATEAU, Africa, Nov. 19.—When our safari met that of Col. Theodore Roosevelt on this plateau a few days ago, the former president talked about the tariff and about many public men and public questions with a frankness that compels even a newspaper man to regard as being confidential.

Our safari was the only one he had met in the field since he has been in Africa, and it was evident that the efforts of the protectorate officials to save him from interference and intrusion had been successful.

The colonel asked about George Ade, commented vigorously on the Cook-Peary controversy, and read aloud, in dialect, a Dooley article on the subject which I had saved in an old copy of THE TRIBUNE. He commented very frankly, with no attempt at hypocrisy, on Mr. Harriman's death, told lots of his experiences in the hunting field, and for three hours, at a lunch and afterwards, he talked with the freedom of one who was glad to see some American friends in the wilderness and who had no objection to showing his pleasure at such a meeting.

Col. Roosevelt Receiving the Report That He Had Been Killed.

SENATORS ARE HIT BY COURT

District of Columbia Tribunal Sustains Mandamus.

PLAY NO FAVORITES THERE.

Justice Wright Rules Lawmakers Are Not Above Discipline.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28.—Justice Wright in the Supreme court of the District of Columbia today decided that the court acted entirely within its authority when it issued the writ of mandamus ordering the joint committee on printing of congress to show cause why it should not consider the bid of the Valley Paper company of Holyoke, Mass.

This means that the senate members of the committee will be compelled to appear in court either in person or by counsel.

In a decision, which he took two hours to read, Justice Wright declared that to have refused to issue the mandamus because some of the persons sued occupied the exalted position of senators "would have been to betray the law."

No Man Is Higher than the Law.

"No man in this country is so high that he is higher than the law," declared Justice Wright. "All officers are creatures of the law and even the government of the United States is less than the law. What is there in the exalted position of a senator which prevents any citizen from laying what he believes to be an injury before the bar of justice?"

The justice announced that his decision made no attempt to dispose of the merits of the case but was merely to hold that the court was acting within the authority which had been conferred upon it by congress itself, and was interpreting the law which congress had created.

The jurisdiction of the court, Justice Wright declared, generally was recognized, commonly understood, and long exercised, and had been conferred by various acts of congress.

Senators' Presence Not Needed.

Referring to the absence of the senators who declined to appear in court or be represented, the court said:

"The progress of the affairs of justice in such cases is neither to be avoided nor obstructed by the absence of respondents, nor does any part of its administration depend upon their presence."

The court then proceeded to examine whether the joint printing committee of congress was a part of the legislative body, and to dissect its functions. All legislative duties being conferred by the constitution upon congress, the court held that none of them could be delegated by congress to its members. No power could be vested in a part of congress by law of congress itself, Justice Wright maintained.

The court's mandamus, Justice Wright declared, was the only known procedure of law to compel a neglected public duty.

Treats All People Alike.

After quoting at length decisions of the Supreme court and reviewing the duties of the printing committee, Justice Wright concluded:

"The court is established in its convictions that it has been influenced by no greater and no less consideration for one of its justices than it is accustomed to bestow upon the affairs of the most obscure amongst the people when they attend its bar; that the preservation of the rights and liberties of the people calls upon and requires it to vindicate its retention and its free exercise of the functions which in the name of the people have been committed to its charge, and that the maintenance of those functions requires the formation of this opinion and is the justification for its expression.

"The court has come to meet a situation where for the first time in its affairs it has been required to examine the conduct of one of its justices against a high and dangerous charge of misuse of the processes of the law, and on coming to an end of that examination the court embraces the enduring hope that this, the first such deplorable occasion, will be the last."

Senators Held Only in Default.

Members of the senate committee on the judiciary, which committee advised the action of the senate in ordering its members of the joint committee on printing to ignore the order of the District court, say that these senators are not in contempt, but only in default. The general impression was that the court would continue with the case instituted by the Valley Paper company and accept the answer of the house members of the joint committee.

The senate members feel certain that the paper company's protest will be rejected on its merits, and that the question of jurisdiction will not therefore be prosecuted to adjudication by the Supreme court of the United States. Senator Smoot, chairman of the senate committee of printing, stated that he would make no move whatever, as the whole question was for the senate.

NOTES FROM FOREIGN LANDS.

ROME.—The courts have confirmed the order to sequester the much discussed statue of Niobe, which was ordered to be brought to this city and placed in the mayor's keeping pending the decision of the claim of a laborer who discovered it for part of its value. The claim of the municipality for ownership of the statue is also involved.

LONDON.—Owing to pressure of work Sir Ernest Shackleton, the antarctic explorer, has abandoned his proposed scientific expedition to Alaska. This was to have followed his lecturing tour in the United States and Canada. Shackleton and his wife will sail for America March 19.

HAVANA.—In a collision between the students of Havana university and the police many of the students were severely clubbed. The occurrence was the outgrowth of a demonstration of the students against Señor Rivero, editor of the Diario de la Marina.

PARIS.—Prolonged rains have swollen the upper Seine and Marne river to an alarming extent. Great areas have been reflooded and agricultural work hopelessly delayed.

PEKING.—China's prohibition of grain exportations has been extended so as to embrace practically all of Manchuria.

ROOSEVELTS SAIL DOWN NILE

Great Hunt Is Ended Unless Game Is Met by Accident.

BIG TROPHY FOR SCIENCE.

Many Rare Specimens of African Fauna Taken by Party.

ROOSEVELT BAG TO DATE.

KILLED BY THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

Lions	7	Buffaloes	7
Rhinoceroses	16	Elands	3
Giraffes	7	Topi	4
Wildebeests	6	Elephants	9
Thompson's gazelle	1	Zebra	1
Hippopotami	6	Oryx	1
Python	1	Bushbuck	1
Ostrich	1	Oribi	1
Leopards	2	Kob	4
Hartbeest	1	Sables	3
Bohor	1	Sitatunga	1
Impalla	1	Bongos	2
Waterbuck	1		

KILLED BY KERMIT ROOSEVELT.

Lions	10	Buffaloes	3
Cheetah	1	Monkeys	2
Giraffes	7	Topi	3
Wildebeest	2	Rhinoceroses	3
Leopard	1	Elephants	2
Hippopotami	3		

GONDOKORO, Sudan, on the upper Nile, Feb. 28.—Col. Roosevelt and the others of his immediate party sailed today on the steamer Dal for Khartum, where they expect to arrive on March 15. With the departure the African scientific expedition, under the auspices of the Smithsonian institution of Washington and led by the former president of the United States was, for all practical purposes, brought to a close.

Col. Roosevelt considers that the killing of the giant elands in his recent excursion along the upper reaches of the Nile was a fitting ending of a marvelously successful trip. The results generally, from the standpoint of the hunter and the scientist, have exceeded all expectations.

Kill Goes to Aid Science.

Col. Roosevelt and his son Kermit have killed some 500 specimens of large mammals. The bag includes the following. Seventeen lions, 11 elephants 10 buffaloes, 16 black rhinoceroses, 9 white rhinoceroses, 9 hippopotami, 9 giraffes, 8 leopards, 7 cheetahs, 3 giant elands, 3 sables, 1 sitatunga, and 2 bongos.

All these were killed in the interest of science, and the specimens will be disposed of accordingly, the greater number going to the Smithsonian institution. Mr. Roosevelt will retain not more than six trophies for himself.

From the point of importance, the most highly prized game may be rated as follows: First, the giant elands, the first complete specimens of which family are now being taken from the country; second, the white rhinoceroses; third, the bongos, the first to be stalked and killed by a white man; and, fourth, the sitatunga.

Take Thousands of Birds.

The naturalists secured a remarkable selection of thousands of birds. The results in this line have been most gratifying and science will be enriched by several new species and an enormous series of the smaller mammals of Africa. The game taken and the collections made constitute a world's record for a similar period of hunting and scientific research in Africa, and the American museums will receive the greatest collection of African fauna in existence.

Col. Roosevelt will now devote his time to writing including the preparation of the addresses which he is to deliver in Europe. He will do no more hunting unless during the trip down the Nile chance throws in his way an opportunity to secure some rare specimens.

London Prepares a Welcome.

LONDON, Feb. 28.—The corporation of London next Thursday will hold a special meeting to consider a requisition which has been signed by many influential members to present the honorary freedom of the city to Theodore Roosevelt in a gold box and to entertain him at a reception and luncheon at the Guildhall.

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KIMBALL GUARDS A REFUGEE

Cousin of Leroy Cannon Flees from Wrath of Madriz.

ONCE OFFICER OF REBELS.

Death of Relative Caused America to Oppose Zelaya.

BY R. W. EMERSON.

[STAFF CORRESPONDENT OF THE TRIBUNE.]

Corinto, Nicaragua, Feb. 28.—[Special.]—George F. Cannon of San Antonio, Tex., cousin of Le Roy Cannon, whose execution caused the United States to oppose Zelaya, has found protection by Rear Admiral Kimball tonight on the plea that his life was endangered.

Cannon was an officer in the army of Chamorro. He was captured by the government at Tipitapa while foraging. He gave a false name and ate in the same room in the hotel with War Minister Toledo and other officials.

Minister Baca gave him a passport as a Canadian and when he arrived at Corinto Cannon divulged his identity to Kimball. Kimball promised to send him home on account of his claims that his life was endangered.

Madriz probably is glad of the riddance, as he is not disposed to retain captured Americans or harm them.

LEANING TOWER IS IN DANGER.

Special Committee of Scientists Investigating Condition of the Famous Structure at Pisa.

PISA, Italy, Feb. 28.—A special committee of scientists is making an investigation to ascertain the stability of the leaning tower, from the foundation of which water has been springing for a long time. This has resulted, it is said, in weakening the understructure of the historic tower.

AMERICAN GIRL WEDS A COUNT.

Miss Frothingham of New York Is a Bride in Paris of Nephew of Tolstoi.

PARIS, Feb. 28.—The marriage was celebrated here today of Miss Mary Frothingham, a daughter of Charles F. Frothingham of New York, and Count Alexander Koutosoff Tolstoi, nephew of Count Leo Tolstoi, the Russian author.

MOROCCO SUBMITS TO FRANCE.

Sultan Signs Accord Obligating Country to Pay $12,000,000 as Result of Casa Blanca Affair.

FEZ, Feb. 28.—The sultan has signed the accord with France, obligating Morocco to pay $12,000,000 as indemnity and damages arising out of the Casa Blanca affair.

FINDS CITY LOSES BY COAL METHODS

Merriam Report to Council Calls Tests and Whole System Loose.

ASKS RADICAL CHANGES.

New Style of Contracts Are Urged, to Be Let at Other Time of Year.

"Unreliability" of present methods of testing coal bought by the city and "danger" in contract provisions are features of the Merriam commission's report on Chicago's fuel purchases, submitted to the council last night. No city official was singled out for blame or censure. The report made no mention of a "coal ring," but did refer to a "circle."

As to the operations of the "circle," the report says:

"On the whole it appears that few outside of a small circle of dealers have actually bid on the specifications, that coal has been bought from a small circle of dealers, on imperfect specifications, at high prices, and especially that facilities for checking up deliveries have been inadequate to safeguard properly the city's interests."

Without mentioning names, the report puts the responsibility for the inferior coal which the Merriam investigators found in many of the pumping stations upon the shoulders of "the various city officials concerned in drawing up and enforcing the specifications for a number of years past."

Inferior Coal Is Substituted.

This line of inquiry developed the fact that substitution of inferior coal might and did occur without detection or penalty. An important case of this type of substitution occurred at the Springfield avenue pumping station. Of 246 cars of coal received from the Miami Coal company between April 1 and Dec. 31, 1909, sixty-two were from Illinois instead of from Vigo county, Indiana, as specified in the contract. The difference in value between these grades of coal is that between $2.80 per ton and $1.85 per ton.

Recommendations in the Report.

The recommendations of the commission are:

That contracts be let about July 1, instead of March 1.

That the engineering department find out the quality of coal best adapted to the needs of each particular station, and that the specifications definitely describe the coal required for each.

That adequate provision be made for inspecting and testing the coal delivered, including the British thermal unit tests to be made by experts.

That the amount of the deposit be changed from the fixed sum of $5,000 to some percentage (10 to 15) of the amount of the contract.

That less leeway be given to city officials in the awarding and execution of contracts.

That legal notice of city tests be given the dealers.

That tests be made of coal delivered to sewage pumping stations.

As a sort of extraordinary suggestion, the commission recommends that "the feasibility of substituting electrical power for steam in certain stations be given continued consideration, both from the operating and financial point of view.

CITY GRAFT CASES RENEWED BEFORE GRAND JURY TODAY.

Many Witnesses Subpœnaed to Tell of Purchases from the T. A. Cummings Foundry Company.

The grand jury will renew its investigation into alleged municipal corruption this morning. The T. A. Cummings Foundry company's dealings with the city will be looked into first. The February term expires on Saturday.

There was a brief session of the inquisitorial body yesterday morning, but only routine docket cases were heard. Thirty-three indictments of minor importance were returned. Subpœnas were issued for the appearance of the following witnesses this morning:

C. H. Davidson, former president of the Davidson Foundry company.

Shelby M. Singleton, secretary of the Citizens' association.

Robert Barr, former partner of T. A. Cummings.

Charles Kellerman of the Barr & Kellerman Foundry company.

Investigator Spurgeon Bell of the Merriam commission.

E. M. Newman, architect who designed the Cummings foundry.

John Moreland, contractor, who erected the Cummings foundry.

H. E. Bullock, president of the Illinois Malleable Iron company.

John A. Brady, president of the J. A. Brady Foundry company.

Members of the Merriam commission, employés of the state's attorney, a banker, a city hall official, and others also may be called.

WERDELL WIZARD IN NEW WAY

Mails "Shale" Claims Just at the Office Closing Hour.

SAYS HE KNEW M'GOVERN.

Interesting Sidelights on Testimony Before Merriam Body.

Wizard John C. Werdell's testimony before the Merriam commission, excavated from the commission's records on "shale rock" yesterday, proved to be doubly interesting, especially after the disclosure that he was taking money from the city for work by the 2 cent stamp route.

Points brought out in the forgotten testimony were substantially as follows:

That he was at one time a saloonkeeper.

That he sent the original McGovern claims for "shale" at "just about closing time" of his office.

That he couldn't remember when he first began to get these claims.

That he never made any attempt to investigate what became of these claims after he passed them on.

That he was acquainted with McGovern.

That first he had not met Hanreddy, and that he admitted later he had met Hanreddy.

That he met Hanreddy one day "along on Michigan avenue" at about the time of the "shale rock" exposures.

That his memory was vague on important details.

That several of his statements were contradictory.

Officials in Doubt.

Meanwhile the wizardry of the state representative-dredge inspector engaged the attention of city hall officials during the day. Neither Commissioner of Public Works John J. Hanberg nor City Bridge-Engineer Thomas G. Pihlfeldt could figure out any course to take relative to the former deputy commissioner of public works.

"Much has been made of this Werdell business," said Mr. Hanberg, "and justly so, too. But I don't know what to do. I don't like to go after him, because he is a Democrat, and it would be said that I was playing politics in this office.

"So far as the money involved it is a small matter, but that is not the point particularly.

"This is a moral question. It is an odd one, too. You see, this all happened two or three years ago. Well, I suppose the thing to do is to make a full investigation of the case and, if the facts warrant, present the matter to the civil service commission."

Mr. Pihlfeldt also shook his head with indecision.

"I never had one like this before," he said. "I don't know what to do about it. I am advised to wait until the report of the Merriam commission is sent to the council before I do anything."

Testimony of the Wizard.

From the records of the Merriam commission the following extracts of the wizard's testimony are taken:

Mr. Fisher—What experience have you had in the work of the department of public works other than as dredge inspector?

Mr. Werdell—None whatever, just as it comes along, as a man goes along in life, that is all.

Mr. Fisher—You didn't have any office prior to the time you were appointed dredge inspector?

Mr. Werdell—None whatever.

Q.—What had been your employment prior to that time. I do not want to go into details—just generally?

A.—I was a saloonkeeper.

Q.—Prior to this?

A.—Yes.

Q.—How did you send them? [referring to the original McGovern shale claims]. A.—Why, it might, when I was just closing, just about closing time, I took all communications to the various departments and put them in large envelopes and blue pencilled them to the superintendent of streets or superintendent of sewers or intercepting sewers, and they would go to the various department men that night.

Q.—You would send them by messenger, somebody in the office? A.—Yes.

Q.—When was this—when did you begin first to get these bills? A.—I couldn't answer that.

Admits He Knew Both.

Q.—Did you know Mr. McGovern or Mr. Hanreddy personally?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Had you taken any part with Hanreddy in any political matters, or had he taken any part with you in any political matters in which you were concerned?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—Have either of those gentlemen, or anybody acting in their behalf, ever spoken to you about it?

A.—No; I don't remember positively; I want to go back. I met Hanreddy in here along on Michigan avenue, and we got to talking, and I said I did not talk to anybody, and so I want to go back there and contradict myself.

Mr. Werdell took an afternoon train for Springfield. It was not recorded in the controller's office that the state representative had paid back to the city the $60—or, on second thought, the $30.

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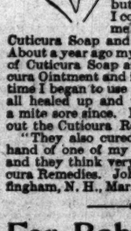

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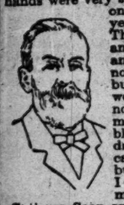

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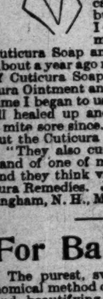

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1RATE MERCHANTS MAY CHECK STRIKE

Move On Philadelphia Trolley Directors with Demand for Peace at Once.

CALL SENATOR TO AID.

Say Business Has Suffered and Company Must Arbitrate with Its Men.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 28.—[Special.]—Senator James McNichol and Recorder William Vare, who are in Florida, were asked by telegraph tonight to come home and save Philadelphia from the danger of a general strike.

The situation has become alarming in the last twenty-four hours and McNichol and Vare are depended upon to bring about arbitration where the clergymen of the city have failed.

The impression grows hourly that the central labor union was not bluffing when it ordered a general sympathetic strike. Merchants and manufacturers, who laughed a few days ago at the possibility of extended trouble, have become scared. Business has been cramped badly by the car strike and the possibilities that hinge upon a general walkout have made business men thoroughly uncomfortable.

The Philadelphia Rapid Transit company for various reasons is in the curious position of being about to lose a strike that it has won, a situation brought about by its declaration to the clergymen of the city that it would not arbitrate anything.

Banks Appeal to Merchants.

During the day half a dozen movements were started to compel the company to arbitrate. The banks are keenly interested in preventing a general strike. They have put the solution of the problem up to one of the most powerful institutions in this city—the Market Street Merchants' association.

Outside of the Republican machine there is no single body of men who can accomplish more when they set about to do it than the Market street merchants. The merchants, headed by Ellis Gimbel and Samuel D. Lit, got together and agreed tentatively to two plans of action.

The first plan was to call McNichol and Vare, who settled the strike last June when it threatened to become extremely unpleasant. The second was to make direct representations to the traction company that something would drop if the company continued to hold out.

Merchants Demand Peace.

Soon after the Market street merchants decided today to end a situation which is crippling business and imperiling the lives of citizens, the Rapid Transit directors got together in special session. Ellis Gimbel and Samuel D. Lit, owners of large department stores, were admitted to the meeting. They demanded in the name of the business men of Philadelphia that the P. R. T. immediately come to some agreement and make peace with its men. Both Mr. Gimbel and Mr. Lit told the company that there was no sense in continuing an impossible situation and that the merchants and the public generally had suffered enough.

They gave facts and figures to prove that their own business had fallen off materially and assured the P. R. T. directors that there was no doubt in the world that a general strike was imminent. President Krueger, Vice President Wolf, and others of the directors assured Mr. Gimbel and Mr. Lit that the company would take their demand under consideration.

Riots Again Mark Strike.

A number of disturbances occurred tonight in the southern section of the city. At Twentieth and Ellsworth streets Joseph Kinney was shot in the leg during a strike argument. His assailant, a negro, escaped.

The national heads of labor organizations in the country are expected to reach here in time to participate in another meeting of labor chiefs on Wednesday night, and it is possible that the general strike order may be changed then to become effective immediately in many trades.

At the session of the labor representatives on Sunday many of the delegates were in favor of an immediate strike and only consented to a postponement after C. O. Pratt of the car men had pleaded for delay. As a compromise it was agreed to hold a further meeting of all the trades bodies Wednesday, when an immediate strike could be ordered if desired.

Mayor Reyburn said tonight that the situation had improved materially during the day, and that he was confident the Rapid Transit company and the men would get together for an amicable settlement if outsiders would leave them alone. The proposal of arbitration, he said, was talked over at today's meeting of the Rapid Transit board, but he took no part in the discussion.

Mayor Against Arbitration.

Men who report for work tomorrow morning, the mayor says, will be taken back and subjected to no punishment. They must come as individuals, however, and will not be permitted to wear the union button.

"The arguments put forth for arbitration make me weary," asserted the mayor. "Their effect is to hoodwink the men. The last strike was settled by arbitration, and see the result. Men are being sent to prison and lives and property are being endangered and destroyed. Let the men and the company settle their own differences."

Councils will meet Thursday, when some course of action to end the strike will be taken. Mayor Reyburn, President McCurdy of the common council, and President Haslett of the select council conferred today as to what action woul be taken, but arrived at no conclusion.

Bethlehem Strike Still On.

Bethlehem, Pa., Feb. 28.—The attempt of the Bethlehem Steel company to reopen its plant today was a failure. Reports received tonight are that not more than 300 or 400 of the nearly 10,000 men were at work today and not many men went on with the night shift. It is predicted that tomorrow morning the number of men going to work will be largely in excess of today, as the company sent out notices today to most of the men who were still at work when the plant was shut down on Saturday to return, giving assurance that they would receive the proper protection.

The labor leaders in charge of the strike say they have President Schwab beaten.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28.—The Rev. Dr. William J. Kirby, professor of sociology at the Catholic University of America, today was named as third arbitrator of the controversy that has arisen between the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern railroad and the Big Four railroad and their telegraphers.

The appointment of Dr. Kirby was made by Chairman Knapp of the interstate commerce commission and Dr. Charles P. Neill, commissioner of labor, as mediators under the Erdman act.

SHOULD PRAISE MOTIVES ONLY.

Men Not to Be Judged by Achievements, the Rev. John Timothy Stone Says in Lecture.

"Not by their work, but by their motives should we judge men," the Rev. John Timothy Stone of the Fourth Presbyterian church said yesterday at the annual religious conference of the University of Chicago in Mandel hall.

"Before praising a man for what he has achieved, let us first ask why he set about to accomplish what he did," he continued. "The motive must be a religious one, which means service to man and not to oneself alone."

In the evening Miss Bertha Conde, traveling secretary of the Young Women's Christian association, spoke to the women of the university. Prof. George E. Vincent and Prof. Albion W. Small will address a men's meeting this evening.

Painting of Chauncey Blair's Daughters to Be on View.

MISS MILDRED BLAIR AND MME. RICARDO SORIANO — BY LOUIS BETTS

Three distinguished pictures just received for the loan exhibit of the Passavant hospital are the painting of President Taft, the painting of Chauncey's Blair's daughters, Mme. Ricardo Soriano and Miss Mildred Blair, and the painting of Mrs. John Kehoe. Louis Betts, the Chicago artist, produced the two latter. Mr. Betts regarded Mr. Blair's daughters as especially interesting subjects. Both of the young women are acknowledged beauties, and the contrasts in their types delighted the artist whose pleasant task it was to paint them in the same portrait. Mme. Soriano is small, dark, vivacious, and somewhat oriental in type. Miss Blair is tall, supple, and graceful. She has light hair and blue eyes.

WOMAN WINS $10,000 SUIT

Jury Says George Bender Conspired Against Mrs. Thurston.

THREATS MADE HER INSANE.

Divorce Is Secured During Two Years That Her Mind Was Blank.

That a person can be frightened into insanity or a condition known as aphasia by means of threats was held by a jury in Judge Ball's court yesterday in awarding damages of $10,000 against George Bender, a South Chicago department store owner, in a suit brought by Mrs. Mary L. Thurston.

Mrs. Thurston contended that threats made by Bender in January, 1905, were followed by mental oblivion, and that for two years she had no recollection of what was happening. During this interval she claimed that as a part of the alleged conspiracy in which Mr. Bender was involved a divorce was secured, a circumstance about which, she said, her mind is a blank.

During the trial Mrs. Thurston has been staying at the residence of friends in Kenwood. She expects to remain in the city a few days longer before returning to Evansville, Ind., where she lives with relatives.

Mrs. Edith Abeel Gets Divorce.

The time honored excuse of the convivial huband, "Won't be home until late; detained at the office," is said to be indirectly responsible for the divorce granted Edith Abeel from her husband, James Abeel of Evanston, by Judge Dupuy in the Circuit court yesterday.

Abeel was ordered to pay his wife $100 a month alimony. According to Attorney Robert Mier Jr., counsel for Mrs. Abeel, he is the son of wealthy parents, receiving a remittance from them sufficient to enable him to live luxuriously. Cruelty and drunkenness also were charged by the wife. The Abeels were married in January, 1902. The wife's testimony was corroborated by her mother, Mrs. Louise Hawley De Forrest.

Woman in a Curious Position.

Mrs. Edith Kaufman, divorced wife of Mandel Kaufman, is in a curious predicament, owing to the friction between a civil law divorce and that prescribed by the Jewish church.

Some time ago she obtained a divorce before Judge Petit, her husband having agreed beforehand to secure one from the rabbi. After the decree had been granted, however, he refused to do this, and her divorce is therefore void in the eyes of the church.

To secure a divorce from the rabbi it is necessary to have the agreement of both parties, and the fee is $10. Until this is secured she cannot remarry with the sanction of the church.

OBITUARY.

JOHN WILLIAM SCHLIMM, for sixty years a resident of Joliet and the first man to lay a construction stone for the penitentiary, died yesterday at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Henry Winckler Sr., near Joliet. Six grandsons will be pallbearers at his funeral tomorrow. He was born in Frauenstein, Weisbaden, Germany, on April 27, 1821. Six children, twenty-nine grandchildren, and twenty-nine great-grandchildre survive him.

THEODORE PHINNEY PLEAS, son of Julian J. Pleas, vice president of the Chicago Union Lime Works company, died on Saturday and will be buried this afternoon from his parents' residence, 516 Oakdale avenue. He was 2 years and 9 months old. Interment will be at Graceland.

CANADA WAITS TARIFF BOARD

Expects U. S. Experts to Visit Ottawa and Accomplish Much.

RELIES ON NEWS REPORTS.

Red Tape from Embassy at Washington Delays Confirmation.

[CHICAGO TRIBUNE BUREAU.]

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 28.—[Special.]—Although no official advices have been received here confirming the press dispatches from Washington announcing that Messrs. Emery and Pepper, members of the United States tariff board, are coming to Ottawa this week to talk over with the government here the present tariff problem in respect to the possible application of the maximum clause of the American tariff to Canada on March 31, the Canadian ministers accept the announcement as correct.

Delay in Exchange of Opinion.

During the last two weeks there have been many delays in getting official exchanges of opinion between Washington and Ottawa, owing to the present anomalous situation whereby Canada has no direct representative in the British embassy at Washington and all communications have to go through the leisurely, roundabout way of official red tape. The fact that the Canadian government's news of the situation at Washington comes first through the press dispatches, as in the present instance, is an illuminative commentary on this.

The coming of the members of the American tariff board to Ottawa probably will result in a general clarifying of the present delicate situation with regard to a possible disastrous and far reaching dislocation of mutual trade interests of the two countries, consequent upon a tariff war.

Will Demand Reciprocity.

Under the American tariff law Canada can get no special tariff concessions as compared with the other countries. And, except on the basis of a reciprocal lowering of tariffs, the Canadian government will not consider any tariff bargain with the states.

The situation may be summed up in brief thus:

NEW CURB ON BANK CLERKS

Psychological Tests as Stay to Defalcations Suggested.

PROF. MUNSTERBURG'S PLAN.

Methods of Determining Proclivities for Gambling or Drink.

Worcester, Mass., Feb. 28.—[Special.]—The application of Prof. Hugo Munsterberg's psychological tests to all bank employes by bank examiners is urged by the Rev. Edgar W. Preble as a stay to defalcations. Mr. Preble suggests the following tests:

"Test for gambling propensity—Let the examiner have a ticker and a phonograph concealed in the room. During the conversation set the ticker going and have a voice from the phonograph cry out: 'Atchison up 3 points,' or 'Reading off and going down,' and carefully observe the result. If he appears to take no notice he may be recommended for continuance in office, but if his lips quiver nervously then the examiner should recommend that all the funds and securities be spiked down without delay.

"Test for the drink peril—Place before the men different colored pieces of paper with the names of the various liquids conspicuously printed upon them; water, coffee, beer, wine, whisky, high ball, etc. If his eyes are attracted by 'high balls' then put out the red signal report.

"Test for domestic virtue or undue female influence—Let the examiner have a woman call up the cashier suddenly on the phone with a message something like this: 'John, O, John, the baby has cut another tooth.' The examiner should note the effect of this message. If the man seems elated it indicates he is safe in that direction. But if he shows indifference or vexation the domestic tie is not strong enough to warrant absolute security. He will bear watching."

Health Commissioner to Lecture.

Health Commissioner William A. Evans will speak tonight at the North Side Congregational church, Wilson avenue and Sheridan road, on "Health Conditions of This City." The lecture is under the auspices of the Twenty-fifth Ward Good Government club.

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MEN VICTORS IN ELEVATOR FIGHT

Wages Raised, Union Recognized, and Agreement Is Signed by Employers.

WIN THE MAXIMUM PAY.

Majority Get Highest Scale of $65 at Once; 700 Lathers Go Out Today.

An amicable settlement was reached yesterday in the wage dispute between the elevator conductors and starters and the members of the Building Managers' association.

As a result there will be no strike and office building tenants will be spared the necessity of indulging in forced gymnastic exercises of walking up and down stairs in downtown skyscrapers.

The employers capitulated to the organized elevator operators and granted them an increased scale of wages satisfactory to most of the men. Recognition of the union and a signed agreement covering the new wage scale were included in the terms of the peace pact.

Much of the credit for averting a strike was given to President John Fitzpatrick of the Chicago Federation of Labor, who sent a letter to the managers urging that a conference be granted a committee of the Elevator Conductors and Starters' union, or that the dispute be submitted to arbitration.

Graded Scale Agreed Upon.

The plea of Mr. Fitzpatrick and the notice given by the union leaders of the overwhelming strike vote led the managers to decide upon a meeting with the representatives of the union. The meeting was held in the afternoon in the office of Farnham, Willoughby & Co., 79 Madison street. H. J. Farnham and W. M. Ellis of the association represented the employers, and President M. L. H. Larsen and Business Agent James J. McAndrews of the union represented the operators.

A graded scale was agreed upon, providing for the rates of pay on the following basis:

	Month.
First six months of service	$55.00
Second six months of service	57.50
Third six months of service	60.00
Next twelve months	62.50
After two and a half years	65.00

This scale goes into effect this morning. It will be submitted to the union for ratification at a meeting this evening, although that is a mere formality, as the scale was signed by the members of the union committee.

The difference between the new scale and the schedule put into effect by the managers on Feb. 1 is that under the new plan the maximum rate is reached in two and a half years, whereas in the employers' schedule it would have taken five years to reach $65 a month. It also cuts six months off the time the men have to work for $60 a month.

Sixty Per Cent of Men Get $5 Raise.

No time limit was placed on the agreement, the inference being that it will run at least two and a half or three years, with the right of the men to open the scale at any time. Of the nearly 900 men in the union 60 per cent will receive an increase of $5 a month under the new scale. About 30 per cent will get an increase of $2.50 a month and the remaining 10 per cent will get a raise as soon as they have spent the required time in the service.

This means that a majority will receive the maximum rate at once, while under the employers' schedule only a small minority received a raise of $5. About 100 buildings controlled by the association are included in the settlement.

"Rather than have our tenants and the general public suffer we decided to meet the men," said President John A. Chapman of the association. "We believe the scale agreed upon is a fair and just one."

Seven Hundred Lathers Quit Today.

A strike of 700 lathers employed on building construction work in various parts of the city will take effect this morning. The men demand an increase of 30 cents a day over the old scale, which expired last evening. Under the old agreement the lathers received $5.20 a day. Now they want $5.50. Employing lathers and plasterer contractors several weeks ago decided to fight the demands, insisting that the men must meet the employers for the purpose of drafting a joint trade agreement.

KELLOGG IN TRAFFIC WARNING.

Advocates Legislation to Prevent Ownership of Steamship Lines by Railroads.

Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 28.—Frank B. Kellogg of St. Paul, special attorney of the United States government in the Standard Oil case, in an address before the Twin City Traffic club tonight advocated government legislation that would prevent the ownership of steamship lines by railroads, which destroys competition and results in high traffic charges.

"What is the use of this country spending $500,000,000 on the Panama canal so that steamer lines may compete with railroads and thus lower prices, if the steamers are controlled by the railroads?" asked Mr. Kellogg.

He said there is only one steamship line operating independently on both seaboards that is an important trade factor.

HOGS GO UP TO $10 IN CHICAGO

One Lot of 66 Sold for $1,740 by an Iowa Dealer.

BIG SHORTAGE IN SUPPLY.

Several Other Cities Show Similar Boost in Price.

An eastern shipper yesterday paid $10 a hundred pounds for a load of live hogs on the Chicago market, fulfilling traders' predictions that hogs would sell at that price before March 1. There were sixty-six hogs in the lot and they netted the owner, B. L. Strohm of Cushing, Ia., $1,740.

Hogs have sold at more than $10 on the Chicago market before, but the prices then were influenced by conditions foreign to the hog trade, and yesterday's general market was regarded by many traders as the highest recorded in the history of the trade.

In 1870, the most recent time that hogs sold up to that figure, only fat, heavy swine reached the zenith, and packers had no difficulty in buying hogs suitable for their requirements at prices that were 50 cents to $1 lower than they paid for the same class yesterday.

A veteran in the trade recalled another time when hogs sold at high prices. This was in 1865. Board of trade speculators in that year had sold great quantities of lard for future delivery. When time to make the deliveries arrived, there was scarcely any lard to be had.

High Prices Due to Shortage of Hogs.

The result was that they paid up to $11.65 for hogs; took the fat to make lard, which was then retailing at 35 cents a pound, and disposed of the dressed meat at almost any price they could get.

There were no refrigerator planes in Chicago at that time, and although curing facilities were pressed to their utmost, the supply of fresh pork became so burdensome that employés in packing houses were given the privilege of taking home all the pork tenderloins and other fancy cuts free of charge. Lard was all the hog buyers wanted.

In December of 1865, the closing days of the civil war period, sales of hogs were made at Chicago at $12.25. The price was paid in legal tender or "shinplasters" issued by the government during the scarcity of currency following the war, and present traders maintain that when figured on a gold basis prices now are higher than they were in war time.

Says Consumer Will Be Benefited.

James B. Cahil of Rappal Bros. & Co., who sold the record-establishing load of hogs, said:

"I attribute present high prices to the shortage in the available supply of hogs in the country, which is intensified at this and other market points by the inability of country producers and shippers to secure a sufficient number of cars to get the little stock they have to central markets.

"While the condition of the railroads has precipitated the advance, this condition eventually will work to the benefit of the consumer, for I believe that prices will not reach the high level they would have touched if the upward movement had been delayed two months."

PRICES SOAR IN OTHER CITIES.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 28.—Hogs sold at the stockyards here today for $9.85 a hundredweight, 10 cents higher than the previous record.

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 28.—All records in hog prices were broken at South St. Paul today. Eight hogs, averaging 315 pounds, were sold by Fitch & Co. for $10.10 a hundred pounds. The previous highest price was $9.40, last week.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 28.—A new high mark was made in the local market today, when hogs sold at $10.05 per hundredweight. This is the first time prices have passed the high price of $10 in the Indianapolis stockyards.

Columbus, O., Feb. 28.—The price of hogs took another jump today, reaching $10.10, which is higher than during the civil war.

EVANSTON BOY IN ELOPEMENT WITH WEALTHY ST. PAUL GIRL.

Farwell Gascoigne Married in Secret at Chippewa Falls, Wis., to Miss Florence Mathews.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Feb. 28.—[Special.]—The elopement of a St. Paul heiress and an Evanston, Ill., man became known today. The young people were Miss Florence Mathews, daughter of a St. Paul broker, and Farwell Gascoigne. They were married on Saturday at the Christ Episcopal church rectory here by the Rev. George Hurst.

After the ceremony Miss Mathews returned to St. Paul, hoping to keep the ceremony a secret, while Gascoigne went on his travels as a representative of a Chicago wholesale house.

Miss Mathews left her home Saturday morning and arrived here at noon. Gascoigne had been in Duluth, but came here, accompanied by Emmet Horan, a classmate at the University of Wisconsin. Horan had obtained the license several days before.

Friends of Farwell Gascoigne, who lives with his father, John T. Gascoigne, at 1010 Orrington avenue, Evanston, were astonished to hear he had been married.

"Farwell told us that he had been engaged for some time," said a member of the family last night, "but we had not heard of his marriage. I think the name of the girl was Mathews. He told us that she was a nice girl, but neglected to mention that she was an heiress."

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COMMERCE COURT ONE STEP NEARER

House Committee Indorses That Feature of Townsend Railroad Measure.

DUE TO TAFT PRESSURE.

Votes Sent from Sickbeds in the Homes of Iowa and Wisconsin Congressmen.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28.—[Special.]—President Taft secured the indorsement of the commerce court feature of the Townsend railroad bill in the house committee on interstate commerce today. By a vote of 10 to 8 the commerce court provision was passed by the committee, and will be recommended as a portion of the bill when the latter comes before the house.

Chairman James R. Mann of Illinois and Congressman Fred C. Stevens voted with the Democrats in opposition to the provision. Congressman Stafford of Wisconsin cast the pivotal vote. Congressman Esch of Wisconsin telegraphed a vote from the bedside of his sick child, and Congressman Hubbard of Iowa telephoned his vote from his own sickbed.

Due to Pressure by Taft.

The success of the provision in the committee is directly due to the pressure President Taft brought to bear last week. Six members of the interstate committee went through a course of hard training at the hands of the president, with the result that the railroad bill comes out of the house committee practically unchanged.

The strongest feeling exists, however, among many members of the committee and in the house against certain provisions of the bill, principally the section establishing the special court for the trial of interstate commerce cases. The president now confronts the task of lining up the house for the adoption of a rule that will make possible the passage of the bill without the danger of its getting torn to pieces by amendment on the floor.

At present it is impossible to pass any rule in the house limiting the time of debate on the railroad bill. The attempt to pass such a rule would be accepted by the anti-Cannon forces as a challenge to battle, and Cannon has lost control of the house to such an extent that his forces undoubtedly would be routed.

Must Work on Insurgents.

It will be necessary to work upon a number of prominent insurgents and bring them to a state of mind where they will consent to the speedy consideration of the administration measure.

The friends of the president's bill in the house are encouraged by the test vote in the committee today to believe that the railroad bill is safe. A leading member of the committee points out, however, that by approving the commerce court section the committee has jeopardized the future of the bill on the house floor.

Without this section the measure would go on the calendar under the five minute rule and could be amended only as an entirety. With the commerce court provision retained the bill becomes a measure to appropriate money, and under the rules of the house it must be taken up section by section for debate and amendment.

Such an opening, unless it is headed off by the adoption of a rule of cloture, will make the journey of the measure through the house a stormy one. The president undoubtedly can prevail upon many members to accept the bill as it stands. He will find difficulty, however, in convincing some of the insurgents that all of its provisions are good.

Stock Feature to Be Attacked.

The section which permits a railroad holding more than 50 per cent of the stock of another road from acquiring the rest of such stock will be attacked in certain quarters as giving an immunity bath to many large railroad systems. The provision leaving it within the discretion of the court to determine whether a merger is for the general benefit of the country will be opposed as a practical repeal of the anti-trust law.

The committee perfected the commerce court sections. The amendments were few. As perfected, the measure provides that five Circuit judges shall be appointed by the president, and that these particular judges shall constitute the commerce court. It is provided, also, that no judge shall serve consecutively on the commerce court longer than five years. Therefore he must serve one year in some other judicial capacity as a Circuit judge before reassignment as a judge of the commerce court. After the first appointments the members of the Commerce court will be assigned by the chief justice of the Supreme court, being chosen from the Circuit judges.

The committee has gone on record in favor of specifying that the commerce court shall have no broader jurisdiction that that already possessed by the Circuit courts.

Amendment as to Classification.

An amendment accepted today makes it the duty of all common carriers subject to the interstate commerce act to establish and enforce reasonable classifications of property for transportation, with reference to which classifications rates or regulations are provided.

The roads are directed to make reasonable regulations affecting classifications, rates, or tariffs; the issuance, form, and substance of tickets, receipts and bills of lading; the manner of presenting, marking, packing and delivering property for transportation; the facilities for transportation, the carrying of personal, sample, and excess baggage, and all other matters relating to or connected with the receiving, handling, transporting, and delivery of passengers and property.

The purpose of this amendment is to broaden the power of the interstate commerce commission.

MANN IN TAFT'S BAD GRACES.

Chicago Congressman Ignored by the President in Calling Railroad Bill Conference.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28.—[Special.]—Congressman James R. Mann of Illinois is not on the White house calling list. Mr. Mann has expressed several opinions of late which have not won the pleasure of President Taft.

In behalf of his railroad bill the president invited some half dozen of the committee members up to the White house a few days ago to give them primary instructions in matters of legislation. Mr. Mann was not among the number.

The president intimated to one of the congressmen that Mr. Mann would not be favored with a summons. He considered Mr. Mann's sentiments as to certain legislation highly reprehensible, and was inclined to hold the view that the Illinois member had insulted him.

CONVICTS HISS TAFT PICTURE?

Officials at Joliet Say Demonstration Was Not Caused by Likeness Shown by Lecturer.

A picture of President Taft, shown in an illustrated lecture by Burr McIntosh, the actor, at the penitentiary, is said to have been hissed by the convicts.

Prison officials state that it was not the president's likeness, but the prolonged applause of a few in the front rows of seats that aroused the ire of the prisoners. It is not denied, however, that while the picture was being shown there were unmistakable hisses from the rear of the prison chapel.

As a special privilege, the men had been given permission to applaud the actor in his lecture. Views of Washington and Lincoln were greeted by prolonged cheers.

TAFT TO GIVE CANNON DINNER

Follows Precedence of Roosevelt in Official Etiquette.

MAY BE A REGULAR THING.

Some Members of House Think Speaker Stands Well with President.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28.—[Special.]—President Taft is going to follow the example set by President Roosevelt and give the speaker of the house of representatives a dinner at the White house. In Mr. Roosevelt's administration the question of who should take precedence in Washington official life, the vice president or the speaker of the house of representatives, was raised by Speaker Cannon when he declined an invitation to a cabinet dinner at the White house because he was to be outranked by the vice president.

Uncle Joe isn't at all finical about such matters, but he felt then that he was standing for the honor of the house. The question stirred up a good deal of discussion at the time and Mr. Roosevelt finally smoothed things down by giving the speaker an official dinner of his own.

May Make Dinner Regular Thing.

The regular official dinners at the White house up to that time were the diplomatic dinner, the cabinet dinner, and the judicial dinner. The Roosevelt dinner to the speaker apparently was arranged to meet an emergency, but Mr. Taft apparently intends to make this dinner a regular feature of the White house program.

The dinner will be held Thursday night. So far as could be learned the guests will be only members of the house, with the possible exception of Senator Gordon of Mississippi, who has ended his term of service in the senate and will leave Washington in a few days. There will be fifty or more guests.

Hint That Speaker Stands Well?

The thing about the dinner that impresses most everybody in Washington, though, is that it should come at a time when Speaker Cannon is being made a target for attacks all over the country. It was only the other day that Representative Kitchin of North Carolina said in the house that not a single Republican had raised his voice in support of Uncle Joe. Several Republican members of the house who heard of the White house dinner wondered if this wasn't a hint that Uncle Joe stood on a pretty good footing with the White house after all.

Persons who have talked with Mr. Taft recently say that while he is far from approving many things the speaker has done, he does believe that the present widespread condemnation of Cannon is unmerited.

FIRST CONSERVATION BILL MAKES ITS BOW IN HOUSE.

Committee Differs with Pinchot in Reporting Out Measure Providing for Survey of Railroad Land Grants.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28.—[Special.]—The first of the administration conservation measures to make its bow in the house was reported out today by the committee on lands. It was the bill providing for the survey of railroad land grants. The committee accepted, practically without change the draft prepared by Secretary Ballinger. The object of the measure is to get about twelve million acres of land previously granted to railroads surveyed so that it can be subjected to taxation.

In following the administration the house committee went counter to the notions of Gifford Pinchot. Pinchot, in a report to the members of the national conservation commission, had said that the land ought to be surveyed, but that the bill ought to be amended. He suggested that the amendment should make binding an agreement the forestry service had had with various railroads, but which had not been made effective. This agreement is that when the railroads own alternate sections of land in forest reserves they shall surrender them to the government and take in their place other lands in a compact area.

Pinchot held that this agreement ought to be given force in law in connection with the present bill. The committee was of the opinion that the making of a survey has no necessary relationship to a land trade between the government and railroads; that such a trade, if wise, could be made subsequently, and that the survey would facilitate the handling of railroad lands, whatever shall happen to them later.

Of the conservation measures of the administration this survey measure is one of the least important. That it is reported thus late in the session indicates the reluctance with which the house committee tackles the conservation issue. Nor is the report of this measure an indication that the other administration bills will be immediately considered and disposed of.

NOTES FROM NATIONAL CAPITAL.

In replying to a delegation from the American Association of Foreign Language Newspapers, who called at the White house to protest against certain immigration bills, President Taft paid a high tribute to the Jews who had come to America and had become imbued with a true spirit of patriotism.

Theodore H. Price of New York, known as the "cotton king," was arraigned before Justice Gould on an indictment charging him with conspiracy to defraud the United States by the securing from Edward S. Holmes Jr., then associate statistician of the department of agriculture, advance information on a cotton report.

President Taft sent the nomination of Leopold G. Rothschild as surveyor of customs at Indianapolis, Ind., to the senate.

F. A. Rodenbery, successor of the late Representative J. M. Griggs of Georgia was sworn in as a member of the house.

The credentials of Leroy Percy, the newly elected senator from Mississippi and successor to Senator Gordon, were presented to the senate.

The differences among senators regarding the provisions of the postal savings bank bill have been so reconciled that it is now believed its passage is assured when the vote is taken next Thursday. Mr. Smoot will introduce a number of provisions which are intended to prevent the withdrawing of the postal money from local banks and its investment in a common center.

Tonsiline Cures Smokers' Sore Throat

Habitual smokers are often troubled with inflammation of the throat. This is called smokers' sore throat, and frequently becomes so painful that food is swallowed with difficulty.

If nothing is done to prevent it, the disease may develop into cancer of the throat. Hundreds of men have had to resort to surgical operations because of it—many have died as a result of it.

If you have smokers' sore throat, don't disregard it. It may be gone tomorrow but it will surely return again and in a more severe form. It is Nature's danger signal.

TONSILINE will positively cure you and keep the throat clean and healthy, preventing the consequences of neglect. TONSILINE is the result of years of careful study and practical work, and is made from drugs used for years in the cure of throat diseases. TONSILINE destroys the poison germs of all kinds of sore throat and cleanses away painful and poisonous ulceration. It soothes and heals the tender mouth and throat membranes and removes the cause of throat trouble.

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We know from long experience it will do all we claim for it. 25 and 50 cents. All druggists. The Tonsiline Co., Canton, Ohio.

URGES WAR UPON RAIL-BOAT LINES

Dickinson Would Break Monopoly of the Harriman Roads and Vessels.

SAYS THREAT FORCED AID

Manager Told Him Company Would End All Connection with Panama.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28.—Secretary of War Dickinson proposed that the anti-trust law be invoked to break up the monopoly which the Pacific Mail company and the Harriman transcontinental lines have on business between Pacific coast ports and the Isthmus of Panama.

When it was suggested today that suit under the Sherman law might fail because of lack of proof that the steamship company, operated as an independent line, would be considered a competitor of the Southern Pacific railroad, members of the senate committee on interoceanic canals discussed the advisability of recommending legislation that would reach the merger.

The hearing today was held in order to give the secretary an opportunity to answer the criticism of Senator Bristow that the government was giving aid to the transcontinental railroads by not encouraging the establishment of an independent line on the Pacific coast as was proposed by B. N. Baker of Baltimore. Secretary Dickinson produced the proposed contract to show that the company was to have an exclusive contract and many other favors that Mr. Dickinson said could not be granted under authority vested in him.

Says Consent Was Forced.

The statement had been made by Mr. Dickinson that he had practically been coerced by a serious situation into consenting to the demand of the Pacific Mail for 70 per cent of the joint rate. The Pacific Mail had threatened to withdraw its ships and, if this had been done, he said, it would have left the government line without an outlet on the Pacific coast. He said he consulted the president and that they were not willing to take the risk of calling the Pacific Mail Steamship company's bluff.

"Did you ever make an investigation to determine whether the Pacific Mail is controlled by the Harriman lines?" asked Chairman Flint.

Mr. Dickinson said he had seen President Schwerin of the Pacific Mail only once, and they had had an unpleasant interview. Schwerin insisted, he said, that his steamship line was independent of the Southern Pacific and upon that point they could not agree.

The secretary took the position that an exclusive contract would reverse the whole policy of the government, and that any government official who would countenance it would be taking an enormous responsibility.

Opposes Government Ownership.

Several senators pressed the secretary for his opinion of the surest way to break up the Pacific mail monopoly. He said that the surest way would be for the government to build ships and operate them, but he would not say that such a course would be the wisest way. He said the question was a legislative one and he did not care to indorse government ownership.

"We sent for you to tell us what to do," said Chairman Flint. "That, I think, is what you would do if you were a senator."

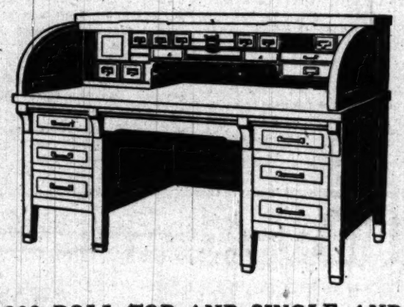
"Probably we have been trained in different political schools," said the secretary, "but I have never believed it was the duty of the government to furnish means of transportation. I have not believed it wise for the government to engage in that business, which can be best done by individuals."

No decision was reached on this subject and Secretary Dickinson left the stand after saying that he would investigate the whole subject of mail contracts, chartering steamships, or any other means of meeting the situation.

O. K. ALDRICH BUSINESS BOARD.

Senate Passes Bill Authorizing Appointment of Commission of Ten Members of Congress.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28.—Practically without opposition the senate today passed the Aldrich bill providing for the appointment of a government "business methods" commission, to be composed of five senators and five representatives. Mr. Aldrich stated that he felt authorized to say that the president would cooperate heartily with the proposed commission.



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'REAL INSURGENT' HITS HITCHCOCK

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licans and Democrats, to vote for a good measure.

"I am for the progressive measures, so do not fear any opposition from me to progressive measures that emanate from the administration. That is where I prefer to see them come from. No one has any higher regard for the high office of the president, or for the president himself, than I have, and I have no dispute with the president officially or otherwise.

"I am here as a representative of the district that elected me, and so long as I hold my office I shall represent that district according to my best judgment and as nearly as I can to meet the consistent demands of the people there.

Knows About His Own District.

"But to get back to the postoffices in the district, I assure you that I know more about that district than you do, and that I intend to represent it in the house until the people select another representative.

"It is to your interest and to the people's interest that no professional politician shall dominate that district. I will be glad to act with you if you are fair to the people, and I assume that you wish to be; but I will fight you to the last if you are not.

"If you will go with me to the district, or send with me, when the session here is closed, an honest, reliable party who has the necessary intelligence, I will show you evidence that you have been grossly misinformed. The people there do not want their postmasters to be subject to charges of incompetency, and sometimes dishonesty, and discharged without as much as having an opportunity to defend themselves, and often without knowing the reason.

Declares Secret Service Men Err.

"Your secret service men who usually visit there are, in all probability, fair, but some have been sent there from other places, for what reason I do not know, and have obtained results that could not have been obtained through honest, fair inspection. I can show you proof of things that have happened that will make you think seriously of practices that arise through your system. I believe in civil service, properly administered, but when it is not so administered it is abhorrent.

"If you do not appoint the men I recommend when new postmasters are to be appointed it will not injure me half as much as it will the reputation of your department and some of the professional politicians, for the people in that district know that all sorts of inducements have been made to me to make me favorable to, or at least to make me let alone, the leaders of the house. I am here to represent the best interests of my district and I will do that to the best of my ability, patronage or no patronage."

IRISH PLAN TO OPEN FIGHT ON POSTCARD CARICATURES.

Ancient Order of Hibernians Confident They Will Be Able to Exterminate Objectionable Pictures and Jokes.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28.—[Special.]—St. Patrick's day postcards which ridicule the Irish race are to become the objects of a campaign of extermination launched by the Ancient Order of Hibernians. Members of the organization say they are encouraged by their success in driving the burlesque Irish characters from the stage to undertake a campaign in other fields. The caricatures of the race on the postcards are deemed particularly obnoxious.

The movement is under the direction of P. J. Haltigan, editor of the National Hibernian.

"It is against the law of the United States," said Mr. Haltigan, "to use the mails in ridicule or defamation of a private or public character, and the Ancient Order of Hibernians will invoke the aid of the United States government to abolish this nefarious practice.

"Attention also will be given to the stores which place on exhibition for sale any insulting souvenirs or so-called "favors," such as pigs or clay pipes, 'caubeen' hats, etc., which have no relationship whatsoever to the history and character of the Irish people."

Child Is Scalded to Death.

The 1 year old son of Walter Cooper, a farmer near Mokena, Ill., was scalded to death yesterday when he fell from a chair into a tub of hot water. The mother was absent from the room at the time.

ONE look at these clothes we're clearing at $15 will be enough to convince you that you'd better buy while you can. Our 1909 stock of overcoats, suits, trousers; mostly Hart Schaffner & Marx goods; heavy, medium and spring overcoats; fancy weaves, blue and black suits; $18, $20, $22, $25, $28, $30 values; now at $15.

All sizes, men's and young men's; all styles and weaves; all colors; a full showing of fine goods.

At $25 the finest suits, such as have been $35, $38, $40; the best things we have; fine imported weaves, smart grays, browns, tans, blue and black; now $25.

At $25 the finest silk lined overcoats, including these beautiful Huddersfield warmth-without-weight weaves; vicunas, kerseys; fine raincoats and auto coats; $35, $38, $40, and $45 values.

In addition to the special styles for young men which we have included in the $15 lots, here are the special college and high school models, $15, $18, $20 values, now at $10.

You can get also some unusual advantages in Hart Schaffner & Marx trousers now; best made; $5, $6, $6.50 values, at $3.90; and better grades, $7.50, $8, $9 values, at $5.

Pick your spring things early

You're sure to be delighted with the new spring overcoats and suits which we have had made for us by Hart Schaffner & Marx. There unusual in attractive models and weaves.

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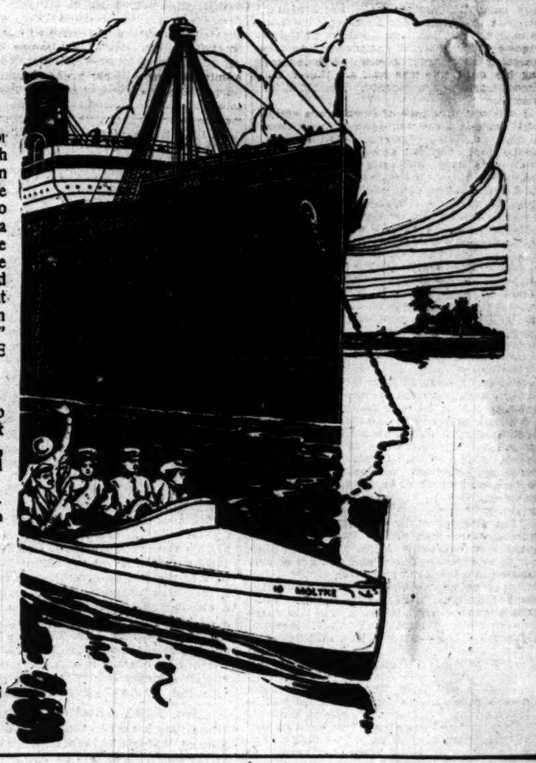

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DIE IN AIDING VICTIMS.

Several Persons Taken Out Alive After Being Imprisoned in the Wreckage.

Spokane, Wash., Feb. 28.—Twenty-one persons are known to be dead as the result of landslides in the mining districts in northern Idaho. Many others are reported missing.

To the sixteen persons known to have been killed in the destruction of the mining towns of Mace and Burke last night and this morning are added three more who died in a similar disaster yesterday when the camp of the Carbonate Hill Mining company at Mullan, Idaho, was destroyed. Two more were killed at Dorsey, Idaho, late this afternoon.

Those who have journeyed from Wallace to Mace and Burke say that the number of dead probably never will be known accurately, as the huge slide can never be entirely removed.

List of the Dead.

The list of the dead follows:

AT MACE.

Fennell, Mrs. John,	Moore, T. B.,
Kittrell, Mrs. Edward,	Moyle, Richard,
Kittrell, ——,	Pascoe, Eddie,
Kittrell, ——,	Pascoe, Ines,
Laird, Al,	Pascoe, R. H.,
Laird, Mrs. George,	Thompson, John,

AT BURKE.

Newman, ——,	Richot, A. B.,
Newman, ——,	Sheppard, A. B.,

AT MULLAN.

Berglund, Gus,	Holm, John.
Nalm, Erick,	

Rescuers Hard at Work.

Desperate efforts are being made to recover persons who may have been buried alive in the ravine near Mace and Burke. The rescuers have dug frantically for many hours. Every available man has been pressed into service, old men and young boys joining the forces. Mace is situated on the creek bed, and the mountains rise high on either side of the town. The main body of the avalanche, which started from the top of Custer mountain, passed beyond the town, striking the opposite slope with terrific force.

The cañon is filled to a depth of from forty to fifty feet.

This first slide, which almost wiped out Mace, occurred at 10:45 Sunday night, while all except the men on the night shift in the mines were sleeping.

Burke was the first town to send aid to its stricken neighbor. The men of Burke procured tools and hurried to Mace to aid in storming the mass of ice and earth that blocked the cañon. Among the last to be taken out of the snow alive at Mace was Mrs. George Hooper, an old woman who lived on the outskirts of the town. She was buried thirteen feet under the snow and it took four hours to extract her. She had suffered from the cold, but was not badly injured.

Narrow Escape for Woman.

A finger sticking above the surface of the snow saved the life of Mrs. George Gibson, who was buried in the slide. For more than an hour the woman was buried with only a finger protruding above the snow. Rescuers searching with lanterns saw the finger and dug her out. She was half smothered and almost frozen when rescued. Her condition is serious.

It was while the men of Burke were aiding relief work at Mace that news of the disaster to their own town was received. The avalanche there occurred at 5:30 this morning. That more lives were not lost was due to Seaman S. Rowe, foreman of the Hecla mine. Realizing the danger that threatened the citizens of the town he sent Bert Clement to Burke to urge the inhabitants to seek safety.

The Burke men who were working at Mace quickly returned home to rescue their families and two of them lost their lives in the attempt. They were Sheppard and Richot, who were buried by a second slide. James Rodgers, another rescuer, who was supposed to have perished, was rescued late this afternoon. He had been buried in the snow eight hours.

Burke Buried Fifty Feet.

Most of the town of Burke is buried fifty feet under a mass of snow and earth. The slide is 3,000 feet long and completely fills the cañon.

"At the time the slide occurred," said R. J. McLeod of Mullan, who, with his son, John A. McLeod, was rescued after being buried for two hours, "I was sleeping in a small bunkroom, just off the compressor room. My son was on shift at the compressor. I was aroused from sleep when he ran into the bunkroom crying 'Papa, papa.'

"The slide struck the building with great force and we were buried under a whirling mass of snow and timbers.

"My son was knocked upon the bed and lay upon me. With the exception of my right hand I was unable to move. I worked this hand free and managed to scrape away enough snow to give us air."

BOYS CONFESS WRECK PLOT; HOPED TO ROB DEAD BODIES.

Five Foreigners, Oldest 19 Years Old and Youngest 10, Planned to Ditch Fast Train in Rocky Gorge.

Greenwich, Conn., Feb. 28.—Five boys of foreign parentage, the oldest only 19 years old and the youngest 10, confessed today, after their arrest here, a plan to wreck a fast New York, New Haven and Hartford passenger train which leaves New York shortly after noon, and then plunder the bodies of the dead.

All were frequenters of moving picture shows. Plans for the wreck, according to the police, had been laid for last Saturday and probably would have gone through had it not been for the watchfulness of a switchman, who saw one of the boys using a skeleton key to open a switch near the East Portchester freight yards. Had the switch remained open the train would have shot abruptly into a thirty foot rock embankment.

The train carried a special club car on which William G. Rockefeller, E. C. Benedict, and a score of other wealthy men ride for the week end to their country places in Stamford and Greenwich.

DIES WHILE ON BUSINESS TRIP.

Thomas J. Gannon of Chicago Passes Away Suddenly in Atlanta, Georgia.

Word was received in Chicago yesterday by Miss Mary Gannon that her husband, Thomas J. Gannon, superintendent of agencies of the Federal Life Insurance company, died Sunday night in Atlanta, Ga. Mr. Gannon lived at 456 Belmont avenue.

He left Chicago a month ago on a business trip through the south. A week ago his son, Victor T. Gannon, joined him in Atlanta. Apoplexy is said to have been the cause of death. The son will arrive in Chicago with the body today.

Mr. Gannon was formerly a wholesale furniture dealer and one of the pioneers in that business.

He was born in Chicago fifty-four years ago. He is survived by a widow, Mrs. Mary Gannon, the son, and one daughter, Mrs. David Fitzgerald.

Girl's Evidence Acquits Her Intended.

Testimony of Miss Grace Conway freed her intended husband, George McCarthy, a clerk in Municipal Judge Uhlir's court yesterday. He was charged with disorderly conduct at a dance. The girl said he knocked down a man who insulted her when she refused to dance with him.

Girl Student Wins Prize in Oratory.

MISS SARAH SHIRLEY SMITH

Miss Sarah Shirley Smith, a member of the senior class in Northwestern university, is enjoying the distinction of being the first woman student in the history of the Evanston school to be chosen as a winner in the annual Sargent oratorical contest. The decision was announced in the chapel yesterday.

Eight university students took part in the contest, which was held in Fisk hall of the university Saturday evening. The first prize of $50 was awarded to Glenn N. Merry, Miss Smith being chosen as a close second by the judges in the contest.

Miss Smith had chosen the story of "The Lion and the Mouse" as her subject after discovering that one of the leading characters in the story was named Shirley, which is her middle name.

The six other contestants for the prizes were Miss Myrtle E. Jensen, L. B. Clarke, Albert E. Tink, Herbert W. Smith, Samuel Dawson Erwine, and Peter T. Hummelgaard.

WIFE'S DECOY NOTE IS READ

Milwaukee Slander Suit Brings Out Ridicule of Love.

SENT IT TO HER HUSBAND.

Mrs. Kempster Hoped He Would Think Mrs. Townsend Wrote It.

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 28.—[Special.]—The first stage of the Townsend-Kempster society scandal suit closed today with the presentation in the court commissioner's hearing of the decoy letter which Mrs. Kempster admits she wrote to her husband, and which purported to be a letter from Mrs. Townsend to a girl friend, in which the doctor's love-making is ridiculed with such phrases as, "He makes love after a fashion, if he is old and deaf."

The letter also says:

"My admirer—that I told you about—is always on hand. True, he is old—I cannot help that—but I have no doctor bills, and he really isn't the limit."

The letter was offered in evidence, after Mrs. Kempster said she had written it, hoping to give the impression that Mrs. Townsend had written it to a former girlhood friend and then sent it to the wrong person. Mrs. Kempster admitted that "my old admirer" and the other similar references were meant to refer to Dr. Kempster.

Decoy Letter Is "Gossipy."

The letter is as follows:

"This is the first time I have had a minute to get away and be free from interruptions and such tiresome fuss over everything. I have found a quiet spot where I can be undisturbed for awhile. It is refreshing to write some one freely—unburden my heart a little—such a monotonous routine of daily life. So here I am, off by myself, writing—all cramped up over my lamp—which I never do—you may be sure I am not living at a rapid pace. Everything jogs along in the same old ways—cards, sewing, visiting, reading. O, dear, that is the way I have lived most of my life.

"Old Admirers" at Hand.

"My old admirer—that I told you about—is always on hand. True he's old—I cannot help that—but—I have no doctor bills and he isn't really the limit. He makes love after a fashion, if he is old and deaf. He is sentimental and thinks he knows it all and he wants to do all the talking, but you know me, there is nothing like a little flattery and I am not a prude. I fear that does not sound attractive, but do you grasp the situation?

"I am not wrought up over him, you may be sure, and I am perfectly capable of taking care of myself, but I say—bother society. You must have something to amuse you, but enough of that! It seems long since I heard from you. This is a fright, this letter, but there is never much to write about at the best, so I will let it go and send you another soon. Do write me. Yours always, KATE."

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There are many other superior points, too, about the Babcock "Electrics" which everyone interested should note.

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Send two cent postage stamp for the Artistic 1910 Babcock Catalogue, written by Elbert Hubbard, of special Roycroft Design, and printed at the Roycroft Printerie.

TAFT TALKS ON EDUCATION

President Urges More Thoroughness in the Primary Grades.

PRAISE FOR COLLEGE MEN.

Need of Sane Thinking Pointed Out in Club Dinner Speech.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28.—Reform in primary education in the United States was declared to be necessary by President Taft in an address tonight at a banquet of the University club of Washington.

The attention of the president had been called to the failures of applicants for admission to West Point and Annapolis, by Representative Champ Clark of Missouri, who in an address to the club stated that the applicants fail on rudimentary subjects.

"I agree with the gentleman from Missouri," said President Taft, "that primary education in this country should be more thorough, and on that subject I must say that he is nearer right than he has been for a long time.

Laid to Educator's Ambition.

"I believe that the ambition of school superintendents throughout the country who have charge of primary and secondary education has led us into a lack of thoroughness that we ought to reform.

"It is true that applicants for admission to West Point and Annapolis fail, in many instances, on subjects that every schoolboy ought to know. They cannot spell and are deficient in other rudimentary branches."

The president spoke, also, upon the value of university men in the affairs of the government and praised college men who are serving the government at a financial sacrifice because they believe there is something more in life than money and luxury.

Need of Sane Thinking.

"I believe we are passing through a period," the president said, in turning to national affairs, "where we need sane and normal thinking, where the sensitive condition of the public is likely to lead it into hysteria, a period where the public must be brought to sane thinking and common sense. I do not know of any class of men more charged with that duty than the university men."

The dinner was enlivened with features patterned after the Gridiron club.

SEE BROAD SCOPE FOR THE CHURCH

Leaders Assert It Must Become Aggressive in All Civic Affairs.

MEET AT ANNUAL DINNER

Four Denominations Represented at the Banquet Given at Auditorium Hotel.

Leaders of four religious denominations put the church under their friendly scrutiny at the fifth annual interdenominational banquet last night at the Auditorium hotel, predicting for it in the future greater activity in political and civic affairs.

In the address the work of the Merriam commission in Chicago was praised, the suffragist movement was encouraged, and resolutions were adopted urging all churchmen to register and vote in the campaign for a "dry" Chicago.

The four religious organizations joining in the banquet were the Baptist Social union, Presbyterian Social union, Methodist Social union, and Congregational club. The Rev. Frank G. Smith, president of the Congregational club, was toastmaster.

The Rev. Donald D. McLaurin, pastor of the Second Baptist church, called upon the men of the church to be more obedient to law, and said there was hope for civic righteousness in the recent movements of reform in large municipalities.

Duty of Christian Men.

"The worst thing in our municipal and state government is the bad citizenship of our good citizens," said Dr. McLaurin. "It is the duty of the men of the Christian church to be more obedient to law. When I say our men have not been obedient to law I do not mean statutory law but fundamental principles. If a man remains away from the polls he is disobedient to the fundamental law.

"We cannot defend our country by building battleships and raising armies. Only as we reinforce the sanctifying sentiment and teach patriotism and religion do we direct the state to a safe end. The English revolution was successful because it had the sanction of religion.

"The men of the church must awake to know something about the forces operant in civic life which are back of legislative and administrative affairs. We are beginning to know something of the forces, thanks to the Merriam commission in Chicago. What we are learning is not altogether pleasant, but it is part of our duty as American citizens to know. I am hopeful that the situation is not so bad as has been thought and that the municipal governments are not past redemption.

Spirit of the Resolutions.

The resolutions indorsing the campaign for a "dry" Chicago were introduced after Dr. McLaurin's speech by the Rev. W. S. Plummer Bryan, pastor of the Church of the Covenant.

The resolution called upon "good citizens of every name" to exercise their privilege to vote upon the question of local option, and to use their influence with all classes of voters.

"Self-centered people get into trouble," was the assertion of the Rev. John Timothy Stone, pastor of the Fourth Presbyterian church. "We must get a world wide vision and pray by a big map.

"Only yesterday a man in New York gave $100,000 for missions. This is one of the results of the laymen's movement. Is Chicago to be outdone by this? It will be known after the laymen's missionary convention is held here in May."

Church Gaining in Power.

The Rev. Charles M. Stuart, editor of the Northwestern Christian Advocate, representing the Methodist denomination, declared that the church was more powerful at the present time than at any time during the history of the world.

"Training for the ministry of the present day must include training for citizenship," the Rev. Ozora S. Davis, president of Chicago Theological seminary, said. "The men who are to be in the ministry must have business and administrative ability."

SAYS WORDS USED IN PLAY RIDICULE THE SUFFRAGISTS.

Mrs. Catherine Waugh McCulloch Writes a Letter of Protest to Author of Drama.

Mrs. Catherine Waugh McCulloch has taken exception to words in a play given at a downtown theater which, she contends, ridicule those who stand for woman's rights.

She has asked that the words be changed, in a letter to the author. Her criticism, directed to Channing Pollock, author of "Such a Little Queen," is against the following speech:

"The queen threw you down. You're lucky. Being a prince consort must be like being married to a suffragette."

Mr. Pollock has replied to the letter of Mrs. McCulloch saying the sentence, in his opinion, is a harmless pleasantry.

FLOODS MENACE MANY CITIES

Reports from East and West Tell of Damage by High Water.

ARE THE WORST IN OHIO.

Two Killed in Buckeye State; Trains Delayed in Utah.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 28.—At least two dead, many hundred homeless, scores of factories preparing to close down, and property damage reaching into hundreds of thousands of dollars; these are the main results of the floods which have devastated the state of Ohio during the last two days and which have not yet reached their full volume.

The first death occurred here this afternoon, 4 year old Catherine Hannan was swept off her feet by a block of ice swirling down the flooded Nine Mile creek. The little girl was carried off into the stream and, although dynamite was used, her body could not be recovered.

The second fatality to be reported was at Youngstown, where a boy named Howard Lightbody was drowned.

From all parts of the state come stories of submerged villages, whole counties under water, and people being driven from their falling homes.

Many Cities Are Flooded.

At Elkton the Beaver creek has completely flooded the town and there are several feet of water in the main street. Canton is in almost as bad a plight, and the majority of the population is marooned in the upper stories of their homes.

At Zanesville 500 houses are reported under water. All service on the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern railroad between Zanesville and Newark has been suspended, and the railway has placed its heaviest train on its bridge over the Muskingum in an effort to save the structure from being swept away.

Residents of Dayton are being moved from their houses by boats and the electric lines have practically stopped running.

New York Feels Floods.

Syracuse, N. Y., Feb. 28.—A steady rain which fell all day yesterday caused a flood during the night which did serious damage in many sections of the city. South of the city roads and streets are covered with water for miles, completely tying up street cars.

The Mohawk valley both east and west of Utica is in the grasp of serious floods. Much trouble is being experienced in the villages surrounding Utica. The water is rushing through streets and business is practically at a standstill.

At Bath, N. Y., tonight water eighteen inches deep was flowing through the principal streets, and still was rising.

The rise of the Canisteo river and creeks that empty into it near the city of Hornell have inundated parts of three wards of that city.

Railroads Tied Up in Utah.

Salt Lake City, Utah, Feb. 28.—Only one railroad is maintaining uninterrupted service out of Salt Lake City tonight. The Oregon Short line, operated to Butte and Huntington, Ore., has not been affected by the floods, blizzards, and landslides that have shattered so many train schedules.

A blizzard in Wyoming has disorganized traffic on the Union Pacific, and the flood in Nevada has tied up the Southern Pacific and Western Pacific so effectively that travel east and west is at a standstill.

Denver and Rio Grande trains are delayed indefinitely by a landslide at New Castle, Colo. The special of the Chicago American league baseball team is among those delayed.

Floods Blockade Six Trains.

Reno, Nev., Feb. 28.—For a distance of one mile the Southern Pacific railroad, near Battle Mountain, Nev., has been washed away by a sudden rise of the Reese river. Passenger trains 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, and 10 are tied up at Battle Mountain.

Many of the stranded passengers are from the east and are seeing for the first time the sights of a western town, indulging in bucking faro and roulette games.

The Slim Woman Is Winning

The day of the slim woman's triumph has arrived. "The thinner one is the more stylish," say the dressmakers.

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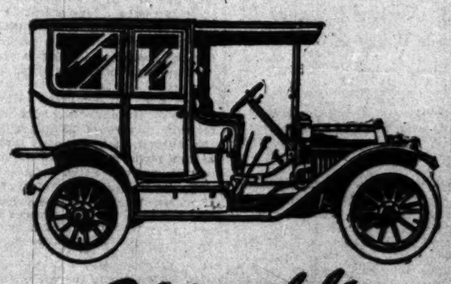

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PRAISE SUNG IN POLYGLOT SONGS

Many Nations Represented in Service at La Salle Avenue Baptist Church.

BABEL FOR PIOUS CAUSE.

Hymns in Various Tongues Reveal the Range of Christianity's Influence.

Everybody who attended the hymn festival of the nations at La Salle Avenue Baptist church last night can imagine what the building of the tower of Babel must have been like.

The festival, the like of which probably never was heard before, brought together tongues from every corner of the earth. It was a melting pot set to music.

Fourteen languages were spoken and sung. It was the intention of the Baptist council of Chicago, under whose direction the program was given, to have at least one verse of some hymn sung in the native language of the person singing it, but some of the singers didn't arrive.

The program started with a song by the Rev. James Fung, a Chinese missionary. The song ran something like this:

Fee tonk moyang skee jung doy,
Tang yan koy song kang dong.

The Rev. H. C. Aamshan, a Persian, spoke about the Chicago Persians, and the progress they are making in religious work. Then he sang a Persian song.

Hymn in Bohemian Tongue.

The Rev. V. Kralicek made a short address in which he told of the progress of the Chicago Bohemians. Then the choir of the First Bohemian Baptist church sang a song entitled "Bought by the Blood of God." Those who sat well down in front caught these words:

"Chvalte Boha a videj te Jenu di ky chvalte Boha a."

Emmanuel Bohemian choir also sang.

Three Hungarian laborers employed in the car shops at Pullman came all the way from the West Pullman mission to take part in the service. Those in the front part of the church had no trouble catching these words:

"Oh Mily Szep Laten Nek Hajie Ka."

In English this song would be called "How Beautiful Is the House of God."

The German Baptist choir, anxious to reveal to the assembled nationalities the beauties of the Teutonic tongue, sang a hymn entitled "I Will Lift Up Mine Eyes to Him." This is the way it ran:

"Ich Werde Meine Augen zu Ihm Aufheben."

Song in Finnish Language.

The Finns were represented by the Rev. A. J. Stormans, whose field of missionary activity extends all over the United States. Admitting his inability to master English, he sang this stanza in his beloved Finnish:

Ensimahan taupunti taunis On teineen taltainen.
Ja Finne on määränä rientää Jeesutsen ilmoilleen.
Hun tää tun tää On tipla juostuna.
Mä saan. Mä saan Gielt ajit iloita."

This was greatly appreciated by the audience, and Mr. Stormans was vigorously applauded.

A double quartet from the Swedish Baptist church sang a hymn. These words dropped out frequently in the chorus:

"Jesus gör mig stilla."

The Norwegian singers sang "All for the Love of God," and the hymn ran in this wise:

"Har rigere toner, mer lifig og solvern en Klang."

The audience applauded several minutes after this song.

The Italian representatives did not appear, although a number of Italians were in the audience.

"It was a great success," said the Rev. J. F. Montague, pastor of the church. "Although those who listened were unable to understand the words of the songs, they had no difficulty in understanding that it all was being done for the glory of Jesus."

INFORMATION OF CONTEMPT FILED IN COUNSELMAN CASE.

Three Women, It Is Said, Are Suspected of Forging the Name of Broker's Insane Wife.

Information charging Willis Counselman and Attorney Milton L. Thackaberry with contempt was filed with State's Attorney Wayman yesterday, and immediately it was rumored that pressure of these proceedings would reveal the identity of the woman who forged the name of the insane wife to the registry receipt at Kenosha.

Three women are suspected. Chief Postoffice Inspector Stuart has suspicions against one. Attorney Charles E. Erbstein, representing Counselman, declared he would name a friend of Thackaberry, and Thackaberry said that a friend of Miss Clara French, the second wife, whose marriage was dissolved through reestablishing the first wife's relationship, was responsible. Through this maze of contradictions Gen. Stuart and Attorneys Joseph W. Moses and Charles R. Holden, representing the bar association, hope to evolve the truth.

Thackaberry returned from the sanitarium at Battle Creek on Friday, and immediately started preparation for his defense.

PRESTON GIBSON ADMITS USE OF A FEW WORDS FROM WILDE.

He Denies That Attempt Was Made to Copy "The Turning Point" from "An Ideal Husband."

New York, Feb. 28.—[Special.]—With the accusation that some of the cleverest of its epigrams had been borrowed word for word by its author, Preston Gibson, from Oscar Wilde's "An Ideal Husband" hanging over it, "The Turning Point" was produced tonight at the Hackett theater. Gibson, in fact, made no attempt to deny the allegation. In a speech after the second act he said:

"I have used about fifty words of the late Oscar Wilde in my play, which contain 20,000 words.

"I would like to state some facts," Gibson went on. "I have no special knowledge of Wilde, nor have I had any opportunity to search out any of the passages alleged to have been copied. I can say, however, positively and absolutely, that if there is any similarity of expression of sentiment anywhere in my play to the production of any other playwright, it is the result of uniform human experiences and nothing more."

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

COL. THOMAS W. BULLITT of Louisville, Ky., who is a patient in a Baltimore hospital following a stroke of apoplexy, has spells of consciousness, but is unable to articulate.

WILLIAM G. McADOO of New York, the tunnel builder, denied the report that he would soon replace T. P. Shonts as president of the Interborough company.

CHANCELLOR McCRACKEN of New York university has given notice of his resignation in April.

PROF. HUGO MUNSTERBERG, professor of psychology and director of the psychological laboratory at Harvard university, has been appointed exchange professor to lecture at Berlin university.

DEATHS.

[For other death notices see page 18.]

SHERIDAN—Thomas Sheridan, at 118 S. Parkav. (Austin), Chicago, Feb. 28, 1910, in the 103d year of his age, father of Thomas C. Sheridan, Mrs. Timothy Nester, Mrs. Frances McManus, and Mrs. Paul De Champlain, Marquette and Saginaw, Mich., papers please copy.

SOCIETY TOLD CHARITY NEED

Chance for All to Be "Good Angels," Says Prof. Henderson.

FOR A "CITY DANCE HALL."

Mrs. Bowen Urges Plan for Working Girls' Recreation.

Society leaders of Chicago gathered at the residence of Cyrus Hall McCormick last night to revive a long atrophied council of the lower north district of the United Charities, and incidentally to hear pleas for industrial insurance, legislation against wife deserters, and an appeals for municipal theaters and dance halls.

They were further urged by Mrs. Joseph T. Bowen, the advocate of the last of these reforms, in view of its impracticability at the moment, to immediately found and operate a model public dance hall for the poor of their part of the city.

Charles H. Wacker, president of the United Charities, presided at the meeting, which was addressed by Prof. Charles R. Henderson of the University of Chicago, chairman of the executive committee of the United Charities, W. R. Stirling, chairman of the committee on districts of the United Charities, Mrs. Bowen, and Sherman C. Kingsley, secretary of the United Charities.

Huge Map Shows Charity Done.

The need of the work was vividly set forth by a huge map of Chicago on which a black dot marked each of the 14,965 poverty stricken families which the organization had helped during the last year. The blackest spot on the map was the district only a few blocks west of the fashionable Lake Shore drive district in which the meeting was held.

Prof. Henderson traced the history of state poor laws from ancient times to their present high development, but declared that the time never would come when private charity would not be necessary to supplement the work of the state. He gave three reasons.

First—The personal element cannot enter into the work of the state as into that of a private charity.

Second—Private charity, by bringing well to do, thinking people into close practical contact with great civic problems results in constructive social progress.

Third—Personal charity work is a greater benefit to the worker than to the person aided by him.

Chance to Be a "Good Angel."

He described the charities of the middle ages, and made an earnest plea for industrial insurance, saying in conclusion:

"There is power enough in this small room by concentrated, conscientious, systematic work to get any good law passed in Illinois. There is an opportunity within a few blocks of every one of you to become a good angel to some poor child in that blackest spot on the map of Chicago," he continued.

"We do not say 'thy money perish with thee.' If there is any tainted money lying around we can sanctify it in twenty-four hours. We can outdo the dreams of the alchemists who would have changed lead into gold, for we can transform your filthy lucre into sunshine for darkened homes.

"There is power enough within the four walls of this house tonight to save thousands of families from pauperism and degradation and make them self-respecting, self-supporting, wealth producing centers of power."

Pleads for Model Dance Hall.

Mrs. Bowen gave many instances of the downfall of girls wrought by dance halls.

"Every city should have a department of recreation, just as it has a department of health," she said. "There should be municipal theaters and dance halls, where the natural craving of boys and girls for entertainment and recreation could be legitimately satisfied.

"If this cannot be done by the state, this or some similar organization should take up the burden. I am sure that a model dance hall in this neighborhood would need only to be started in order to prove that it is far cheaper to prevent delinquency than to prosecute after delinquency is a fact. I do not believe that the expense would be heavy; in fact, it probably would be a paying proposition in a short time."

SEES CITY 'BROKE' IF 'DRY' VOTE WINS

Ald. Cermak Starts Council Inquiry of Effect of Losing Saloon Revenue.

NEW BUDGET IN PERIL?

Prohibition Sunday Brings $10,000 from the Churches to Fight Barrooms.

"Who will pay the $8,000,000 of annual revenue that Chicago will lose should the city go 'dry' at the coming election?"

Ald. Cermak, who is also secretary of the United Societies, asked this question last night in a resolution which he introduced into the common council, which passed it. The picture of a "bankrupt Chicago" was drawn with broad strokes, the police and fire departments, as also the police pension fund, were portrayed in tatters, and as a financial proposition the entire "dry" movement was listed as "revolutionary."

After his gloomy forecast of what might happen to the city treasury, Ald. Cermak concluded his resolution by calling upon Mayor Busse, "with the assistance of the corporation counsel, the city controller, and such other agencies as he may deem expedient," to report to the council, at that body's next meeting, whether the city's budget will be invalidated should the "drys" win, and in that case what means could be taken to replace the $8,000,000 in saloon license fees that would be lost to the yearly revenue.

When Ald. Cermak moved the adoption of his resolution there was a moment's pause before Mayor Busse put the question, but there were no objections and none wished to discuss it, so that it was adopted.

Text of Cermak Resolution.

Here is the resolution:

Whereas, The voters of Chicago at the municipal election set for April 5 will be asked to decide the question whether or not Chicago shall become anti-saloon territory; and,

Whereas, The city of Chicago derives a revenue of approximately $8,000,000 annually from the saloon licenses and other bar privileges; and

Whereas, This sum of money practically provides for the maintenance of the police and fire departments; and,

Whereas, The pension fund of the police department derives, in round figures, $240,000 annually by reason of the percentage of saloon taxes provided by law for the maintenance of this fund; and,

Resolved, That the mayor, with the assistance of the corporation counsel, city controller, and such other agencies as he may deem expedient, report to this body not later than its next meeting whether the present city budget will be invalidated in the event of Chicago becoming anti-saloon territory; what moans shall be taken in this predicament to provide funds to take the place of the $8,000,000 in revenue that the municipality will lose; what legislative requirements will be expedient with reference to ne wstate statutes to bring about the adjustment of the taxing machinery in Chicago and Cook county and such other facts and figures showing just how Chicago will be affected financially in the event of this city becoming anti-saloon territory.

Gives Argument of "Wets."

The resolution stated the principal argument that will be used by the United Societies in their campaign against the "drys." Mr. Cermak presented his proposed resolution at a meeting of the societies' committee on political action last Saturday, where it was favored as a ready means of bringing the question before the voters.

Mayor Busse said he would confer with the officials mentioned in the resolution, and would prepare an answer, whose tenor, however, he declined to forecast.

Ten thousand dollars was raised for the anti-saloon fight in Chicago as a result of prohibition Sunday, when nearly every church made collections for the Anti-Saloon league. In addition to this, the committee of 2,000 workers is turning in money at the rate of $1,000 a day, most of it coming in contributions of less than one dollar, C. E. Cornell said.

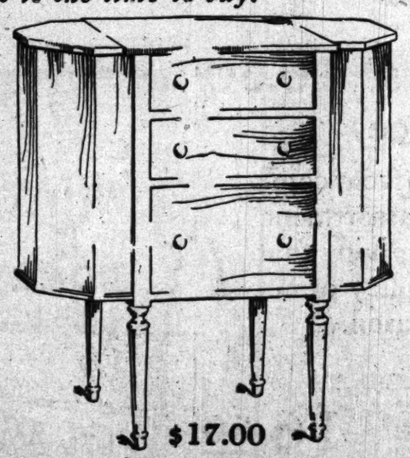
The Tobey Furniture Company

Wabash Avenue and Washington Street.

Semi-Annual Sale

Furniture, Curtains and Oriental Rugs at Reductions of 10 to 50%

Never, anywhere, has a larger or more attractive array of the best makes of furniture and the more desirable grades of furniture accessories been offered at such low prices. *Now is the time to buy.*



$17.00

(Formerly $22)

Solid Mahogany Martha Washington Work Table

Top, 28 by 14 inches.

We illustrate a typical value, taken from the display of work tables. There are many other equally good bargains in the group; a variety of styles at a wide range of prices.

The sale includes furniture for every room in the house.

MARSHALL FIELD & CO.

The diversity of the new Spring styles now being received daily is such that not for many years have women had so great an opportunity for the exercise of their individual preferences.

Women's Tailored Gowns and Street Suits

THE NEW FEATURES IN WHICH DESIGNERS HAVE BEEN SO EVIDENTLY SUCCESSFUL LEND EXCEEDING INTEREST TO OUR PRESENT DISPLAYS

Shorter Coats are a distinguishing feature—the effect is decidedly pleasing in many of our newest styles. Coats from 30 to 36 inches long will be seen in increasing frequency as the season advances. Blouses are also to be greatly favored—the full Russian and the modified Russian lending notable charm to many of the latest models we have received. The style requirements of slender and small women have been especially considered in these new blouse suits.

Not for many seasons has there been such a diversity in the styles—ranging from the most severely plain tailored models to the very elaborately designed gowns. Many surprises will be found in the new materials—notably in the contrasting checks, stripes and mixtures in black and white. Other strongly favored colorings are gold, old blue, navy, and numerous effective new combinations. Many of the radical departures in these Suits show the influence of the latest tendencies of Paris styles. *Sixth Floor.*

New modes in Afternoon costumes of foulards, crepes, pongees and figured and striped chiffons also show many exclusive features that distinguish them from the fashions of last season.

Women's Black Silk Hosiery: Clearance.

Savings as great as half prevail in many instances in a special purchase of Silk Hosiery in beautifully embroidered patterns—a varied accumulation of odd and broken lots from our own high-grade lines is included. *Fourth Floor.*

Women's Black Embroidered Silk Hose reduced to $1.35.

Women's Colored Embroidered Silk Hose reduced to $1.25, $1.95 to $2.95.

Women's Colored Silk Hose in a wide range of popular shades, self clocking, reduced to $1.95.

Women's Black Out-Size Silk Hose, self and colored embroidery, reduced to $1.95.

Women's Plain Colored Silk Hose reduced to $1.10.

New Silk Kimonos, $5, $7.50, $8.75.

Three beautiful styles just added to our displays. The silks are of fine qualities and in colorings that are decidedly attractive—iris, wistaria, apple blossom and many other floral effects; all are made with ample fullness and faced with satin ribbon—special values at $5.00, $7.50 and $8.75. *Sixth Floor.*

Women's Dressing Sacques of imported wool challis, made with sailor collar, trimmed with fancy border, plaited front and back—all desirable shades—special, $5.00.

Clearance Sale Infants' Wear and Girls' Undermuslins.

Remaining from our February Sale—Varied accumulations of all the garments offered at special prices—being slightly mussed or soiled, or in broken assortments, they have been marked at prices that assure their immediate sale.

Reduced Prices in Sheets and Cases

A number of our high-grade lines will be marked below their regular prices for a limited time—only sizes for full and three-quarter beds are to be had—patrons will find this a rare opportunity to economize. *Third Floor.*

New Corsets Showing New Style Tendencies.

Every woman seeing our new Noblesse Models will welcome the extent to which the extremes of last season are being modified. The result is comfort with an added grace to the poise that marks a new development in scientific corseting. Long corsets are still to be worn, but many of the latest models show the waist lines more curved and the bust lines lower. Our assortments have never been so completely equipped with models for slender, medium and full figures. *Fifth Floor.*

Noblesse S 522—made of two-toned striped broche, attractively trimmed with ribbon and faggot stitching, designed for medium full figures requiring good length below waist, with a decided tendency to curved waistline, general outline assuring smoothness, ease and grace, $14.00.

Noblesse S 534—made of fine French coutil, firmly boned, medium height bust, sufficiently full to properly encase the figure either sitting or standing—complete set of garters in jaratelle effect in front and on the hips, trimmed with figured ribbon, giving a decidedly tailored effect—$10.00.

Women's Waists: Designs of Unusual Beauty

In many very recent arrivals to be featured in this week's display, numerous styles will appeal strongly to the woman in quest of something entirely original and distinctive.

We especially invite attention to the new Top Blouses—styles shown now for the first time, and which are assured of great favor. A wide color range. Prices range from $8.00 to $12.75.

Blouse Waists of India Print—in a variety of exclusive designs in charming color combinations, with lace insertion in collar and cuffs, $16. *Sixth Floor.*

Lace Waists—formed of combination of tucks and bobbinet, with insets of Cluny and Venise bands, finished with embroidered panel on front and collar, $8.

Fancy Waists of chiffon in shades to match Suits, front of elaborate hand embroidery and finished with square lace yoke, $12.

Plain Colored Cotton Voile, Yd., 20c

This extremely low price is all the more remarkable on account of the continued great popularity of Cotton Voiles for making sheer summer dresses. It is only through the purchase of a manufacturer's surplus that we are enabled to offer this popular material, in a splendid range of colorings.

Remnants of Wash and Printed Goods at clearance prices—useful short lengths of Madras, Ginghams, Dimities and Lawns, marked very low. *Second Floor.*

THE DRESSMAKING AND TAILORING SECTIONS

have placed on sale for immediate clearance all of their models in tailored Suits and Gowns—The prices afford rare economies for the purchase of garments of high merit. *NINTH FLOOR.*

Comforters Specially Priced

One of the best values ever offered at $2.50—silk bordered comforters with figured silkoline center and back, filled with full sheet of finest white cotton—the pattern is very attractive with plain 6-inch border in pink, blue, yellow and lavender—size 72 by 78 inches—$2.50. *Third Floor.*

Comforters with top of Japanese silk, figured center and plain 9-inch border. Back of silkoline in pretty rose pattern to match center. One of our most attractive styles, with pink, blue and green borders, size 72 by 78 inches, $5.00.

Women's Night Dresses—Two Styles, $1.50.

A price that makes these very desirable values—one a pretty Empire effect with short puffed sleeves, lace edged with beading and ribbon, and a slipover style with round yoke of embroidery, finished with narrow insertion, short puffed sleeves, lace edge and ribbon, $1.50. *Fifth Floor.*

Handkerchiefs Embroidered with Women's Names, 25c.

An innovation in a new line of all linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs—the corners are embroidered with given names instead of initials—the handkerchiefs are of fine quality, well finished and of excellent values; about forty different names, at 25c—dozen, $2.75.

Face Creams and Toilet Waters.

Creme Elcaya for the face—a fragrant non-greasy cream highly beneficial to the complexion—2-ounce jars, 50c. *First Floor.*

Orange Flower Skin Food, Creme Marquise, Cucumber Cream or American Beauty Cream, special, 4-ounce jar, 50c.

Witch Hazel Jelly for chapped hands and roughness of the skin—special, 2-ounce bottle, 15c; 4-ounce bottle, 25c.

Violette Exquisite Talcum Powder, special, 40c.

M. F. & Co. Ideal or Violette de Parme Toilet Water—special, 4-ounce bottle, 40c; 8-ounce bottle, 75c.

Notions and Dressmakers' Findings: Great Savings in the Annual Spring Sale.

The lines are all from our regular assortments—their splendid worth has gained widespread recognition—the opportunities to economize are attractive both to those making purchases for immediate needs and to dressmakers and others purchasing in large quantities for future needs. *First Floor.*

100-yard Spools Sewing Silk in black, white or colors, spool, 4c; dozen spools, 40c.

100-yard Spools Brooks' Cotton in black or white, dozen, 18c.

500-yard Spools Basting Cotton, 4c; dozen spools, 40c.

Princess Silk Covered Dress Shields, in regular and shirt-waist styles, in sizes 2, 3 or 4, pair, 15c; dozen, $1.75.

Nainsook Double Covered Dress Shields, sizes 2, 3 or 4, pair, 7c; dozen, 75c.

Kleinert's Handy Adjustable Dress Shields in sizes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, special, pair, 25c; doz., $2.75.

400-yard Spools good quality spool silk, letters A, B, C and D, in black or white, spool, 20c; dozen, $2.40.

5-yard Pieces Black Dress Braids, 5c.

Manhattan Mohair Skirt Braid, black or colors, 5-yard pieces, 12c.

Wool Skirt Braid in black, line 16, yard, 2c; dozen yards, 20c; gross yards, $2.25; line 18, yard, 3c, dozen yards, 30c; gross yards, $3.50.

Mercerized Skirt Braid in black, line 16, yard, 2c; dozen yards, 20c; gross yards, $2.00; line 18, yard, 3c; dozen yards, 25c; gross yards, $2.75.

Milo Featherbone Collar Supporters in various heights, card 4c; dozen cards, 40c.

Skirt Gauges, various styles, 5c, 20c, 35c, 75c.

English Twilled Tape, in various widths, 10-yard piece, 8c.

Harper's or Milward's Sewing Needles, papers of 25, 4c; dozen papers, 40c.

Milo Hooks and Eyes in white or black—2 dozen hooks, 2 dozen regular eyes and 2 dozen invisible eyes to card, boxes of 6 cards, 30c; great gross, $3.50.

Tite Socket Fasteners, cards of one dozen, 10c.

Bank Pins, half-pound boxes, sizes 3 and 4, 18c; size 5, 20c.

Extra Superfine All-Silk Seam Binding in white or black, 8-yard pieces, 8c; dozen pieces, 90c.

360-count Paper of Pins, various sizes, 4c; dozen, 45c.

Tailors' Chalk, boxes of 72 pieces, 15c.

Milo Featherbone Stock Collar Foundations, net or mousseline de soie, in various sizes, 7c.

Celluloid Collar Supporters, various sizes, 4c; dozen cards, 40c.

1-yard strips of Celluloid, 6c.

Superior Quality Silk Prussian Binding, ½ inch, 9-yard pieces, 15c; dozen pieces, $1.60.

Double Skirt Binding, in black or white or colors, yd., 3c; dozen yds., 30c; gross yds., $3.25.

No. 28 36-inch Tape Measures, best quality, 10c.

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Suspended Employ... Further Allegation... to Base Def...

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Letter Sent to ...

The trial committee's ... Mr. Perkins follows:

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"The president suspende... 1910, and reported the same ... ing of the committee on ... grounds, who, approving t... ported the same to the ful... regular meeting on Feb. 23, ... action was concurred in.

"It is now the duty of th... to inform you that a heari... the regular committee roo... education on Monday, Ma... o'clock p. m. on charges p... you—viz.: 1. Incompetenc... ance. 3. Insubordination.

Request Is Compli...

"Recognizing your requ... letter of Feb. 14, 1910, addre... dent of the board, informal ... your later request address... of education which was a... regular meeting held on F... committee advises you that ... at this time given are und... heads:

"Incompetence. Graham ... school, Lloyd school, Moo... burne school, Dante school ... schol, Lane Technical High ... of affairs in underestimat... recommendations to commi... and grounds. In failing to ... tors to live up to specificatio... ordinary work of hauling an... In failing to distinguish in... on asphalt work between foo... the asphalt compositions.

"Extravagance in the fo... Dante, Moos, Andrew, J... Trumbull, Schurz, Lane Te... nection with furnishing squa... ments of schoolrooms. In co... ing and maintenance of offic...

Refusals to Obey ...

"Insubordination. In tha... tire term of office not sub... plans or changes in plans ... school management, for ... changes, nor to the committ... and grounds for approval a...

"In that you dominated ... changes upon mere recomm... committee on buildings an... consultation with other e... board, and not the board thr... tees; and, thereafter, your... called to account, to coöp... board in its demands that ... and not the employes, shou... kind and character of b... erected.

"In your persistent refu... standard type of building, ... saving of office force expendi... ing to accept the modified ... the board, through its office... of cooperation; submitting, ... change, preliminary plans so ... and so radical in the depar... subjected the board to ridicu... adopted.

Statements to the ...

"In your statements to th... board was one that changed ... while you remained in contin... therefore ought not to be ... changing board.

"In conversation, letters, a... duct to be offered showing, in... as well as specifically, refus... with or work in sympathy ... the requirements of the board ... officers and committees, and ... be more definitely herein a... which proof in detail will be ...

"This committee reserves ... right, from time to time, to ... the progress of the trial, to ... which are collateral and in... foregoing specifications. If ... portunity may be given you ... submit a defense."

Perkins Talks of C...

"I have read the charges ... repeat that they lack specifica... Perkins. "They do not fu... sufficient evidence on which ... fense. Wherein does the C... show my incompetence? W... Dante and Mozart schools sho... ganes? I shall write to th... the trial committee for detail... acts of commission or omissi... that I may be able to refer to ... tabulate or formulate whate...

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Hauling Prevented b...

"There was a week last win... coal famine and when the c... bound that I could not get tea... ders and ashes from the schoo... is the only one I can think of ... charge can be based.

"Every plan I have drawn ... proved by the superintendent ... then submitted to the building ... committee for approval. The ... have submitted to the school ... committee for the reason tha... the board do not state that th...

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Architect Perkins wrote to P... commending his plan to make ... step with members of the trial c... the board and asking permiss... pany the party.

HUNDRED MINERS NEA...

River Bursts Into Coal ... They Are About ... Descend.

Danville, Ill., Feb. 28.—Just ... miners were to have entered ... early today the swollen Ve... broke through the walls into th... thirty-six feet of water in t... The miners all would have pe... flood had they gone to work a... earlier.

PERKINS STILL AFTER DETAILS

Architect Says Charges Filed Against Him by Mr. Urion Are Too General.

TRIAL SET FOR MONDAY.

Suspended Employe Asks for Further Allegations on Which to Base Defense.

The promised detailed specifications of the general charges of incompetence, extravagance, and insubordination preferred against School Architect Dwight H. Perkins by President Alfred R. Urion of the Chicago board of education were issued yesterday by the trial committee of the buildings and grounds committee.

Copies of the specifications were made public just prior to the meeting of the trial committee by President Urion and later a copy was sent by Dr. Alexander L. Blackwood, chairman of the committee, to Mr. Perkins. The trial is set for next Monday.

In reply to the specifications, Mr. Perkins will write a formal letter to Dr. Blackwood today declaring that the specifications are not detailed nor sufficiently specific to be used as a basis for a defense. He will ask further details.

Letter Sent to Architect.

The trial committee's communication to Mr. Perkins follows:

"At a meeting of the committee on buildings and grounds of the board of education held on Feb. 2, 1910, the president of the board was directed to request your resignation, and further directed that if such request for resignation be disregarded, thereupon to suspend you, pending a hearing before the trial committee, all of which you have heretofore been duly advised.

"The president suspended you on Feb. 16, 1910, and reported the same to the next meeting of the committee on buildings and grounds, who, approving the suspension, reported the same to the full board at its last regular meeting on Feb. 23, 1910, where such action was concurred in.

"It is now the duty of the trial committee to inform you that a hearing will be held in the regular committee room of the board of education, on Monday, March 7, 1910, at 2 o'clock p. m. on charges preferred against you—viz.: 1. Incompetence. 2. Extravagance. 3. Insubordination.

Request Is Complied With.

"Recognizing your request contained in letter of Feb. 14, 1910, addressed to the president of the board, informal in its terms, and your later request addressed to the board of education which was acted upon at its regular meeting held on Feb. 23, 1910, this committee advises you that the specifications at this time given are under the following heads:

"Incompetence. Graham school, Beaubien school, Lloyd school, Moos school, Washburne school, Dante school, Patrick Henry school, Lane Technical High school. Conduct of affairs in underestimating repeatedly recommendations to committee on buildings and grounds. In failing to require contractors to live up to specifications. In handling ordinary work of hauling and scale repairing. In failing to distinguish in calling for bids on asphalt work between foreign and domestic asphalt compositions.

"Extravagance in the following schools: Dante, Moos, Andrew Jackson, Tilton, Trumbull, Schurz, Lane Technical. In connection with furnishing square feet measurements of schoolrooms. In office work—drafting and maintenance of office force.

Refusals to Obey Orders.

"Insubordination. In that during your entire term of office not submitting original plans or changes in plans to committee on school management for approval and changes, nor to the committee on buildings and grounds for approval and changes.

"In that you dominated the erection and changes upon mere recommendation to the committee on buildings and grounds after consultation with other employes of the board, and not the board through its committees; and thereafter, your refusal, when called to account, to cooperate with the board in its demands that the committees, and not the employes, should designate the kind and character of buildings to be erected.

"In your persistent refusal to adopt a standard type of building, resulting in a saving of office force expenditure, and refusing to accept the modified type ordered by the board, through its officers, in the spirit of cooperation; submitting, in the first instance, preliminary plans so plain in exterior and so radical in the departure as to have subjected the board to ridicule had they been adopted.

Statements to the Press.

"In your statements to the press that the board was one that changed year by year, while you remained in continuous office, and therefore ought not to be dominated by a changing board.

"In conversation, letters, and general conduct to be offered showing, in general terms, as well as specifically, refusal to cooperate with or work in sympathy and accord with the requirements of the board and its several officers and committees, and which cannot be more definitely herein stated but upon which proof in detail will be offered.

"This committee reserves to itself the right, from time to time, before or during the progress of the trial, to take up matters which are collateral and incidental to the foregoing specifications. If necessary, opportunity may be given you to prepare and submit a defense."

Perkins Talks of Charges.

"I have read the charges carefully and I repeat that they lack specification," said Mr. Perkins. "They do not furnish me with sufficient evidence on which to base my defense. Wherein does the Graham school show my incompetence? Wherein do the Dante and Mozart schools show my extravagance? I shall write to the chairman of the trial committee for details wherein these acts of commission or omission occurred so that I may be able to refer to the records and tabulate or formulate whatever may apply.

"The charges say I have been incompetent in failing to require contractors to live up to specifications. That is a general charge. My reply is general, a flat contradiction. They say I have been incompetent in handling the ordinary work of hauling and scale repairing. That work came under the repair department.

Hauling Prevented by Snow.

"There was a week last winter during the coal famine and when the city was snowbound that I could not get teams to haul cinders and ashes from the schools. That time is the only one I can think of on which this charge can be based.

"Every plan I have drawn has been approved by the superintendent of schools and then submitted to the buildings and grounds committee for approval. They never have been submitted to the school management committee for the reason that the rules of the board do not state that they shall be.

"The charges of insubordination refer to things said by me since my suspension or to differences with President Urion brought up. To these I would say I have been attacked and have defended myself."

Architect Perkins wrote to President Urion commending his plan to make an inspection trip with members of the trial committee and the board and asking permission to accompany the party.

HUNDRED MINERS NEAR DEATH.

River Bursts Into Coal Pit Just as They Are About to Descend.

Joliet, Ill., Feb. 28.—Just before 100 miners were to have entered Grays mine early today, the swollen Vermilion river broke through the walls into the pit. There is thirty-six feet of water in the mine now. The miners all would have perished in the flood had they gone to work a few minutes earlier.

Song Writer Who Died in the East.

JAMES B. OLIVER.

James Barrocliffe Oliver of Chicago, who died at the residence of his brother, George Oliver, in Philadelphia, was one of the best known popular song writers in the country. In collaboration with J. E. Fay Mr. Oliver wrote "Good Night, Beloved, Good Night," "Take Me with You in Your Dreams," and "Kate Kearney."

Mr. Oliver for many years resided at the Hotel Metropole and the Calumet club, and for over thirty years was identified with W. H. Salisbury & Co. The funeral will be held at Buffalo tomorrow morning.

RUSH TO ADOPT COURT BABIES

Nineteen Waifs Quickly Given Away by Omaha Judge.

COLORED ONES ARE POPULAR

Rich and Poor Women Eager to Get the Children.

Omaha, Neb., Feb. 28.—[Special.]—This was baby day in Judge Sutton's court and the rush to get in early resembled a bargain counter sale.

The Juvenile court convened at 10 o'clock, but an hour before that time the little room was crowded to suffocation. Among those in attendance were women clothed in silks and sealskins, who elbowed against those who wore cheap raiment. All were there to get the first pick of the babies that were to be given away.

Nineteen babies were to be disposed of, and all were given out inside of thirty minutes after court convened. There were applicants for three times this number. When the announcement was made last week that today babies would be given away there were thirty of the children at the detention home. The announcement brought a host of people to the home who were looking for babies, and eleven of the youngsters were given out without having the opportunity to appear in court.

The babies given away were of all sizes, colors, and both sexes. They had been found on doorsteps and had been deserted by parents unable to care for them.

When the nineteen were arranged in chairs in Judge Sutton's courtroom there was a rush for them. The colored babies seemed to be in the greatest demand. There were only two of them, a boy and a girl. The boy is 3 years old. He was given to Henry Agee, a colored farmer, while the girl went to Mrs. Arnie Lee, colored. Both were adopted.

The white children all went into good homes and were all regularly adopted by the persons taking them. A number went to the country, but the majority were adopted by city people.

THIRTY-FIVE MEN ARRESTED IN CIGAR STORE HANDBOOK.

Police Seize Sheets Containing Records of More than One Hundred Bets Made on Yesterday's Races.

Thirty-five persons were arrested yesterday in a raid on a handbook in the rear of Henry Cohen's cigar store at 1330 West Madison street. The handbook is said to be one of many controlled by John D. Gazzolo, a west side saloonkeeper and politician. George Burns and A. E. Williams were booked as the keepers. The men were released on bonds signed by George P. O'Leary, said to be a manager for Gazzolo, and George Murray, in Mont Tennes' employ.

"Gazzolo has nothing to do with that place," his manager said in the evening. "He is in the south and will not be back for two weeks."

The place was crowded and there was a wild scramble for the exits when the police arrived. A telephone and sheets containing records of more than 100 wagers on races were seized.

Rumor has it that Lieut. John Hartford of the Lake street station may be transferred because of the inability of his men to find gambling in his district.

New Rate for Night Telegrams.

Announcement was made yesterday by the Western Union Telegraph company that it will, on or about March 14, be prepared to handle long night messages at the rates customarily charged for ten word day messages.

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NOT "FUGITIVES," PLEA OF PACKERS

Directors Never Meet in New Jersey, Answer to Eastern Indictments.

WORK HERE NEARLY ENDS

Seventeen Witnesses Heard in a Day and Grand Jury May Finish Inquiry Tomorrow.

That the federal investigation of the alleged beef trust will be completed and indictments returned before the New Jersey officials can get action on their extradition program was indicated by yesterday's developments in the two investigations.

Seventeen witnesses, most of them important officials, testified. This is the largest number heard in a single day in the five weeks that the inquiry has lasted. It is probable that the taking of testimony will be completed tomorrow. The grand jury will then adjourn for one or two weeks to allow the prosecutors to decide what indictments, if any, to ask for. If true bills are decided on the jury will be reassembled and asked to vote them.

The indicted packers received copies of the indictment returned in New Jersey, and found that they will have many grounds on which to fight extradition.

Not "Fugitives from Justice."

The first ground alleged will be that they are not "fugitives from justice," having never been in New Jersey. The statement made in the indictment that they met and conspired to do the acts complained of at Jersey City on March 1, 1908, is denied.

An attorney for one of the largest companies concerned explained that the only meetings held in New Jersey are the purely formal stockholders' meetings. At these K. K. McLaren, an officer of the Corporation Trust company of New Jersey, which attends to such business for thousands of corporations, who serves as dummy resident director of the National Packing company, meets with several clerks of the same concern holding the proxies of the Chicago stockholders, and they transact the formal business necessary to hold the charter.

Directors Hold Meetings Here.

The directors' meetings, however, are held in Chicago. It is denied that the indicted directors ever met in New Jersey.

If this plea fails the packers will demand that the easterners disclose their hand by convincing an Illinois judge that they have sufficient evidence to warrant indictments.

While the New Jersey prosecutors were demanding that the court order the dissolution of the National Packing company, if the minutes of its directors' meetings were not produced, these minutes were being examined by the federal grand jurors in Chicago, who have studied them many times.

Witnesses Who Testified Yesterday.

The witnesses examined by District Attorney Sims and Assistant District Attorney Wilkerson yesterday were:

SAM GRABENHEIMER, vice president and western manager of Schwarzschild & Sulzberger.
WILLIAM E. WEBER, general auditor of the National Packing company.
W. F. BURROWS, secretary of Libby, McNeill & Libby.
WILLIAM B. FERRIS of Morris & Co.
O. E. HARTWELL, secretary of Swift & Co.
CHARLES W. COMES, secretary of Armour & Co.
JAMES BROWN, head buyer of Armour & Co.
HARRY BOOTH, head buyer of Schwarzschild & Sulzberger.
HENRY W. HARDY, assistant treasurer of Libby, McNeill & Libby.
EVERETT WILSON, president of the Prairie State Packing company and manager of branch houses for Armour & Co.
F. B. CARTER, assistant to Wilson.
JOHN F. BOYLE of Armour & Co.
BERNARD REMMER of Armour & Co.
EDGAR ROTHSCHILD of Armour & Co.
GEORGE W. ANDERSON of Armour & Co.
OTTO A. BESTHOFF of Morris & Co.

The fact that most of these were examined only for a short time was taken as indicating that the district attorney is satisfied with the case.

Fined for Employing Small Boy.

Assistant State Factory Inspector Barney Cohen secured a conviction yesterday in a new crusade against child labor. Municipal Judge Fry imposed a fine of $5 upon Bam Larmo, a Greek fruit peddler, for employing Philip Jaloo, a boy 11 years old.

START ON TRAIL OF PACKERS

Machinery Looking to Jurisdiction Moves in Jersey.

BATTLE OVER REQUISITIONS.

Scene to Shift Next to Trenton Before Gov. Fort.

New York, Feb. 28.—[Special.]—Prosecutor Pierre P. Garven of Hudson county, N. J., announced today that he will start without delay the legal machinery required to bring within the jurisdiction of the county courts the twenty-one directors of packing companies indicted on a charge of conspiring to produce an artificial scarcity of meats and poultry in Hudson county markets in order to increase prices.

"Warrants for the arrest of the defendants will be placed in the hands of Sheriff James J. Kelly tomorrow," he said. "As clerk of the court the county clerk will make out capiases and turn them over to the sheriff for execution. The sheriff will make return of the names of those defendants he cannot find in his jurisdiction and then I will begin proceedings at once looking to their extradition."

The prosecutor said that it is not necessary for the defendants, who are not residents of New Jersey, to be actually in custody in their own states before he can ask Gov. Fort of New Jersey to issue requisition papers calling upon the governor of another state to turn the defendants over to the New Jersey authorities.

Will Try to Extradite.

"No matter what the defendants or their lawyers in Chicago may say as to our right to extradite from Illinois," he continued, "we purpose to make an endeavor to extradite."

If there is no hitch in Garven's present plan the legal battle probably will take place before Gov. Fort at Trenton as soon as the prosecutor presents his reasons for applying for requisition. In case the governor should decide to issue papers then a second fight will follow when the governor to whom the requisition is directed hears arguments for and against the issuance of extradition papers directing the delivery of the defendants to the New Jersey officers.

Former State Senator Edwards of Jersey City, one of the New Jersey attorneys of the indicted packers, said today that assurances had not been given to the prosecutor's office as reported, that the defendants would surrender themselves except in the case of J. E. Bathgate Jr., resident director of one of the companies.

Former State Senator Hudspeth of Jersey City appeared today before County Judge Blair as personal counsel for Bathgate. He asked the court to fix bail and said his client was willing to surrender himself for the purpose of pleading any time his presence may be desired. The judge decided that Bathgate should furnish $2,500 bond.

The prosecutor expects that as soon as Bathgate comes to court to plead proceedings will be begun to attack the indictment. First a motion probably will be made to quash and if that is denied, then certiorari proceedings likely will be begun to test the legality of the indictment.

Another Plan of Battle.

Another phase of the legal battle the prosecutor is planning will be his application for an order directing the Corporation Trust company of New Jersey, as the New Jersey agent of the National Packing company, to produce before the grand jury certain records, including the minutes of meetings held by the directors and stockholders of the packing company.

Mr. Garven and former Assistant Prosecutor Noonan, who drew the blanket indictment and who have been retained to assist the state, will go to Trenton this morning. Supreme Court Justice Swayze will be in Trenton and it is expected that Garven will make his application to the justice tomorrow. The prosecutor said tonight he hadn't fixed the time for appearing before the justice in this particular matter.

Mr. Garven expects, in case he gets an order for the production of the records and the order is not obeyed, to apply to the justice for another order providing for a dissolution of the packing company as a New Jersey corporation.

A photographer went into the prosecutor's office today to request Garven to consent to have his picture taken seated at his desk with his papers carelessly scattered in front of him, just as if he was in the act of being busy.

"No, sir!" Garven exclaimed. "No posing for me. It's bad enough to work for a living, instead of posing."

And he didn't pose.

Bill Provides Big Penalty.

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 28.—A penalty of $100,000 instead of $5,000, as at present, is imposed upon a corporation for entering into an illegal combination for controlling products or regulating prices, in a bill introduced tonight by Assemblyman Foley of New York. Treble damages are provided for any person injured by such unlawful combination.

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Special lot of Kirmanshah rugs, sizes about 4x6 feet; rugs in this lot usually sold up to $125, now at $75.

Caraba rugs, for doorways, in soft, silky textures, size about 30x40 in., specially priced, $5

Extra grade Kazakdge rugs, in beautiful color combinations, soft, mellow tones, 7.50, $10, $12.

$12 Shirvan, Daghestan and Baluchistan rugs, new lots, 200 rugs at $12, $15 and $20.

Cashmere rugs for floors, room sizes. This lot is considered our best, from $40 to $225.

Two bales of Mosoul, Kazak and Guendje rugs, about 4x7 feet in size, will be sold at $25 **$25**

6.3x10.2 Cabistan rugs at $75
8.3x12.4 Kassaba rugs at $150
9.9x12.5 India rugs at $165

8.9x12.4 Serapi rugs at $175
8.1x11.2 Gorevan rugs at $172
10.0x13.9 India rugs at $220

10.11x13.5 Savalan rugs $250
8.3x11.4 Kirman rugs at $365
8.6x13.6 Kirman rugs at $445

Royal Wilton rugs

27x54 in., 4.50 6x9 ft. at $26
36x63 in. at $7 8.3x10.6 at 37.50
4.6x7.6 ft., $20 9x12 ft. at $40

Body Brussels rugs, 9x12 feet, at 23.50; 8.3x10.6 ft. at 21.50.

French Wilton Rugs

27x54 in. at $6 6x9 ft. at $34
36x63 in. at $9 8.3x10.6 at $50
4.6x7.6 at $20 9x12 ft. at $55

Sanford's Axminster rugs

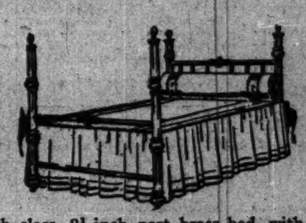
Size 4.6x6.6 at $7 Size 8.3x10.6 at $21 Size 3x6 ft. at 3.75 Size 3x10.6 at 8.25
Size 6x9 ft. at 13.50 Size 9x12 ft. at $24 Size 3x9 ft. at $7 Size 3x12 ft. at 9.50

The annual March sale of brass beds

This is the sale that homefurnishers have been waiting to hear about—the time when we carry the most extensive lines of beds and bedding and quote the lowest prices of the year. Fourth floor, Wabash avenue.

Outfit No. 2

4-post colonial bed, massive, as illustrated; bright or satin finish; double deck open box spring, 50-lb. roll edge felt mattress, plain or fancy art ticking, specially priced at **$40**



Outfit No. 1

Heavy 2-in. continuous post bed, choice of sizes and finishes, best high frame, link or center supported woven wire spring and full weight felt mattress, special sale at **$25**

Outfit No. 3 at $55. High class, 2¼-inch post brass bed, with 2-inch top rods and 1¼-inch spindles; choice of finishes. Also choice of three other styles of bed, combined with hair top, imperial edge box spring and 40-lb. all-hair mattress, with choice of ticking; very special at $55.

The great March sale of sample furniture

The advantages in buying furniture now are manifest to any one who inspects our vast stocks and notes the close pricing in force on this occasion. Sample lines and surplus lots are at savings of 25% to 50%. 6th and 7th floors, Wabash avenue.

Solid oak slip seat dining chairs 3.75

Quartered oak, flush joints, made of heavy stock, carved claw feet, slip seat, upholstered in genuine leather over webbing, special, 3.75

Oak colonial library tables $24

Oval, 54 inches long, with blind drawer. Heavy scroll legs, lower shelf, beautifully finished, as cut.

Solid quartered oak china cabinets 47.50

Full mirror back, four plate glass shelves, bent glass front and sides, massive carved claw feet, 63 inches high, 40 in. wide, 19½ in. deep, golden or early English finish, 47.50.

Solid quartered oak dining tables $25

Massive base with carved claw feet. No veneers. Patent lock permits top to ext. 2 ft. without dividing pedestal, golden or early English, 8-ft. ext., 54-in. top, $30; 8-ft. ext., 48-in. top, $25.

Handsome dressers in simple and effective colonial design; wood knobs. Dresser has 43-inch base and 24x30 inch beveled plate mirror. In mahogany or quartered oak: Dresser, 27.50; Chiffonier to match, 27.50. In Circassian walnut: Dresser, 32.50; chiffonier to match, 32.50.

The March sale of rich American cut glass

A remarkable assortment, gathered specially for this event, and priced at a slight advance over original cost. The cutting is highly artistic. Fourth floor, State street.

American cut glass 8-inch fern dishes, handsomely cut in a rich rosette design; complete heavy silver plated lining; special 3.65.

American cut glass compotes, handsomely cut in a rich buzz star design, cut bead stem, star bottom; as illustrated; at 2.50.

American cut glass 8-in. berry bowls, beautifully cut in star and hobnail design, as shown in illustration, special at 1.85.

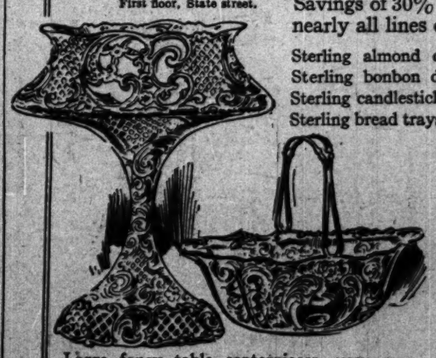
American cut glass triangular shaped bonbons, cut in a laurel wreath design, as illustrated, very special at 1.25.

American cut glass sugar and cream sets, beautifully cut in hopstar design, as shown in illustration, special, pair, 1.85.

The annual March sale of sterling silverware

First floor, State street.

Savings of 30% to 50% are not infrequent, and can be had in nearly all lines of sterling silver flatware and hollowware.



Sterling almond dishes at 1.25
Sterling bonbon dishes, at 3.95
Sterling candlesticks, brnshd., $8
Sterling bread trays, flrl. pat., $15

Sterling compote, special at 3.95
Sterling sandwich plates at $20
Sterl. bread trays, rococo bor., $15
Sterling ice cream plates at $5

Sterling silver 3-piece coffee sets, $30
Sterling silver chocolate pots, 27.50
Sterling salad or berry bowls at 22.50

Sterling silver bonbon dishes, fancy border, 4.75
Sterling silver bonbon dishes, rococo border, $6
Sterling silver bonbon dishes, fancy border, 8.50
Sterling silver hand-engraved trays, special, $98

Sterling silver 5-piece tea sets, now at $98
Sterling silver centerpieces priced at 47.50
Sterling silver pierced baskets, at 27.50
Sterling silver ice cream platters at $50
Sterling silver engraved fern stands at $85

Large fancy table centerpieces, very massive; one each, at $135, $200 and $235.

The annual March sale of window shades 60c

Once a year, in order to broaden our clientele among builders, owners of apartment buildings, etc., we quote window shades at a price that barely covers cost—providing orders are in lots of 6 or more. Fourth floor, Wabash avenue.

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Women's Night Dress-s—Two Styles, $1.50.

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Handkerchiefs Embroidered with Women's Names, 25c.

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Creme Elcaya for the
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the complexion — 2-ounce
jars, 50c. First Floor.

Orange Flower Skin Food,
Creme Marquise, Cucumber
Cream or American Beauty
Cream, special, 4-ounce jar, 50c.

Witch Hazel Jelly for chapped
hands and roughness of the
skin—special, 2-ounce bottle,
15c; 4-ounce bottle, 25c.

Violette Exquisite Talcum
Powder, special, 40c.

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Society; Clubs, Entertainments.

Events in Society.

THE marriage of Miss Mary Alice Ritchie of New York to Graham Grosvenor, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Grosvenor, 1634 East Fifty-third street, took place in New Orleans last evening. The ceremony was performed at the winter home of the bride's parents. After an extended wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Grosvenor will go to New York to reside.

Miss Louise Burke of 1318 Astor street has gone to Santa Barbara, Cal., to join her sister, Mrs. Albert Keep Jr. She will remain away until June.

Norman Scott will accompany Mr. and Mrs. William J. Calhoun when they leave next week for the orient.

Mrs. Frank Allport, 2108 Prairie avenue, is home after spending a month in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Schultz of 1310 Astor street are in New York.

Mrs. Ira N. Morris is at home, 3401 Michigan avenue, after a trip to California.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal C. Vilas of 243 Lake View avenue, after spending some time at the Park hotel in Hot Springs, Ark., have gone to Tampa, Fla.

Mrs. W. W. Kerr and Mrs. S. M. Williams of Wilmette have issued cards for a musical to take place on Saturday. It will take place at the residence of Mrs. Kerr.

Mrs. George Hoge and her son, M. K. Meyer of Winnetka, have gone to California to visit Mrs. Hoge's other son, Frank Meyer, formerly of Winnetka.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Bolton of Winnetka, who are making a pleasure trip in the orient, have reached Japan.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mortimer of Glencoe will move to Chicago on May 1.

Mrs. Susan Jenkins of 600 Washington avenue, Wilmette, is entertaining her son, John Jenkins, of Hornesdale, Pa.

Mrs. O. W. Bartlett of Wilmette is entertaining Miss Eitel of Indianapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester B. Massilich of Edgewater will go to New York this week to live.

Miss Alice Runnells of 1525 North State street is entertaining Miss Anne Sherwin of Jamaica Plains, Mass., and Miss Margaret James of Cambridge, Mass.

Mrs. Charles H. Mitchell of New York City arrived in Chicago this afternoon to visit her sister, Mrs. Robert C. Newton of 716 Rush street. Mrs. Mitchell was Miss Elizabeth Rand of Chicago, and she has a large circle of friends here still. Mrs. Newton is planning to give all of them opportunities for seeing her guest, and has arranged some entertainments toward this end.

Mrs. Bruce Borland will give a dinner and theater party this evening.

Miss Lillian Schuettler will give a dinner party this evening for the members of her bridal party.

The wedding of Miss Floy Fox, daughter of Mrs. C. L. Fox of 524 South boulevard, to Edward Lundburg of Portland, Ore., took place last evening at the residence of the bride's mother. Mrs. John Davidson served as matron of honor, and Miss Dorothy Fox attended her sister as bridesmaid. Arthur Lundburg was best man and John Davidson acted as master of ceremonies. A small reception to the immediate family and the bridal party followed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Lundburg will be at home in Portland, Ore., after April 1.

Mrs. Thomas Borland Smillie of 8148 Warren avenue will give the second of a series of breakfasts today followed by bridge. There will be sixteen guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Leicht, 2916 Lake View avenue, have returned from a six weeks' trip to the West Indies and Palm Beach, Fla.

Gen. and Mrs. Frederick Dent Grant will be the guests of honor at the reception to be given tomorrow by the Chicago Woman's club to the exhibiting artists of Chicago. The entertainment committee consists of Mrs. Arthur Elliott, Mrs. Pauline Palmer, and Miss Blanche Johnson.

James MacVeagh will entertain a large company at dinner preceding the loan portrait exhibition reception Monday night, March 7. A portrait of Arthur Caton, which was painted by

MRS. HARRY CHANNON

The causeries of the Alliance Française have been so successful this winter that the friends and members will not tolerate a suspension of them, as has been attempted. After going without them for one week, they will be resumed next Saturday afternoon. Naturally, Mrs. Harry Channon, the president of the library committee, under whose direct auspices they are given, is greatly pleased, and is setting about to make the one of this week especially agreeable. Mme. Sokal, who was Mme. Arby, will lead, and Mrs. Channon, with others will receive.

Zorn and is the property of the Chicago club, has been added to the exhibition.

Mrs. Frederick F. Norcross and her sister, Miss Ethel Wrenn, 1500 Astor street, will give a dinner before the loan portrait exhibition Monday evening. Among others who will entertain will be Mrs. Chester Dawes and Mrs. Joseph Garaghty.

Society at Nation's Capital.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28.—[Special.]—The president and Mrs. Taft occupied a box at the Columbia theater tonight. With them were Mrs. Thomas K. Laughlin, Commodore Palmer, and Capt. Butt. Mrs. E. B. McCagg of Chicago, who has been a house guest at the White house for several weeks, left today for her home.

The vice president and Mrs. Sherman were guests at a dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. Edson Bradley. The other guests included Senator and Mrs. Root, Assistant Secretary of War and Mrs. Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. Beekman Winthrop, Gen. J. Franklin Bell, Gen. and Mrs. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gaff, Dr. and Mrs. Morris Murrey, Miss May Williams, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Allan, and Miss Sterling of New York.

French Ambassador and Mme. Jusserand were hosts at a dinner when their guests were invited to meet Gen. and Mrs. Frederick D. Grant. Those present were American Minister to Denmark and Mrs. Egan, Representative and Mrs. Lowden, Mr. and Mrs. James R. Garfield, Mitchell Innes, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Knox Smith, Mrs. Hobson, Mrs. Charles Dana of Philadelphia, Mrs. John Phillips, Lieut. and Mrs. Ulysses S. Grant III., Dr. and Mrs. Wilmer, Miss Georgiana Hopkins, and President James of the University of Illinois.

Senator and Mrs. Elkins gave a luncheon for Gen. and Mrs. Grant.

Mrs. Richard Townsend was hostess at a luncheon in compliment to the Count and Countess Szechenyi, who have been the week end guests of Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Meyer. Among those invited were the minister of Denmark and Countess Moltke, Minister of Spain Marquis de Villalobar, Countess Gizycka, Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, Countess Luise Alexandra von Bernstorff, Miss Katherine Elkins, Miss Isabel May, Miss Mathilde Townsend, Count Csiraki of the Austro-Hungarian embassy, Mr. Horstmann of the German embassy, prince de Ligne of the Belgian legation, Mr. de Beaufort of the Netherlands legation, Craig Wadsworth, Reynolds Hitt, Capt. Archibald Butt, C. R. Simpkins, and William Hitt.

Minister of Switzerland and Mme. Ritter were hosts at a dinner when their guests were Minister of Norway and Mme. Gude, Minister of Denmark and Countess Moltke, Ottoman Charge d'Affaires Rustem Bey, Miss Lucy Kean, Mrs. Bayard, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Putnam, Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Perkins, Baroness Preusschen, wife of the naval attaché of the Austro-Hungarian embassy, Second Secretary of the British Embassy Kennard, and Henri Martin, secretary of the legation of Switzerland.

Meetings and Entertainments.

Traffic club will meet today for luncheon at 12:30 o'clock at the Hotel La Salle. E. S. Clark, interstate commerce commissioner, will speak.

Chicago Woman's Outdoor Art league will give an arbor day luncheon today at the Auditorium hotel.

Carleton Literary club will meet at 2 p. m. today in Handel hall. The Rev. E. L. Williams will speak.

Wicker Park Woman's club will meet this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Lake View Woman's club will be addressed at 2:30 p. m. today by the Rev. David Beaton on "The Perils and Problems of Adolescence and the Way Out."

Chicago Lawn Woman's club will meet this afternoon at Chicago Lawn Methodist church.

Social Economics club will meet today at 2 p. m. in room 309 Masonic temple. Frank Comerford will speak on "The Injustice in Our Administration of Justice."

Chicago Woman's Aid society is to meet today at 2:30 p. m. in the assembly rooms at Twenty-first street and Indiana avenue.

Stonewall chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, will meet at the Great Northern hotel Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Kenwood club will give a dance on Friday evening.

Scandinavian Technical society of Chicago will meet at the Bismarck hotel Saturday evening. A. Strale will speak on "Sheet Mill Practice."

Illinois Humane society offers two lectures for Friday evening. Dr. A. H. Baker will speak on "Horse Diseases" and George A. H. Scott on "Laws Concerning Cruelty to Animals."

At Orrington Lunt library, Evanston, this evening, L. W. Hine of the Survey Magazine will give an illustrated lecture on "Child Labor."

Diligent Dozen club of Glencoe will entertain this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Benjamin Newhall.

Saturday Afternoon Walking club will walk along the east branch of the Du Page river this week. Members will leave the Union station Saturday at 1:25 p. m. and will walk east from Lisle station to Downer's grove, a seven mile tramp. Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Dawley and W. S. Monroe will act as leaders.

Lincoln park commissioners offer a free illustrated lecture by Sherman C. Kingsley on "The Cherry Mine Disaster" at Seward park assembly hall, Sedgwick and Elm streets, this evening.

Chicago Hebrew institute offers a free lecture on "Indians of Arizona" by S. S. Parks at 1253 Taylor street this evening.

Norwegian Evangelical Lutheran church will give a concert tomorrow evening.

At Field museum Saturday evening "Snapping Live Game on the Roosevelt Hunting Trail" will be the subject of a lecture by A. Radclyffe Dugmore.

University of Illinois Alumnæ association will give a luncheon tomorrow at 12:30 o'clock at the Chicago College club in the Fine Arts building.

Music and the Drama.

Sparkling "Penelope."

BY PERCY HAMMOND.

THE motley Mr. Maugham addresses his raillery this time to the theme of wifely devotion. In "Penelope," a sprightly bit of froth with an undercurrent of significance, he argues amusingly that the law of supply and demand is applicable to that domestic commodity just as if it were a material staple, subject to the sordid ordinances of economics. It fluctuates like wheat or Rock Island. The subject has engaged the attention of other dramatists whose identity, fortunately, escapes us for the moment, but none, we believe, more gracefully or more humorously. As represented by Miss Marie Tempest last evening at Powers' it provided adult entertainment for a numerous and delighted gathering.

The trouble with the affairs of the O'Farrells was that Penelope O'Farrell was too assiduous in the manifestations of her regard for her husband, a physician whose practice engendered intimacy with other women. She kissed him good-by in the morning, invariably, after sitting on the arm of his chair while he tried to smoke his pipe, and was equally cloying when he returned in the afternoon. She loved him when he talked and when he was silent. She loved him walking, eating, and sleeping. Consequently he began to undervalue her affection, and when the play started he was in the depths of an affair with one of her best friends, a complacent intrigante whose husband, an officer in the British army, was serving his country elsewhere.

At a family conference called by Penelope to discuss this crisis, her father, a quizzical professor of mathematics, diagnosed the difficulty as an overproduction of wifely ardor. He suggested that she refrain from the obvious and inevitable revelation of her devotion, and give the doctor a chance to realize in its absence its value. "Don't ask him where he has been," he counsels. "Throw him into the company of Mrs. Fergusson as much as possible. The time will come when, whenever there is a pause in the conversation, she will say, 'Do you care for me as much as you did?' That question is the rope around love's throat. Whenever he wants to go Mrs. Fergusson will implore him to wait five minutes longer. Those five minutes are the nails driven into love's coffin. Each time he leaves her she will beg him to tell her what time he will be back. That question is the earth shoveled into love's grave."

It is Mr. Maugham's duty to verify this system, and he does so with considerable vivacity. Penelope reluctantly takes the advice and eliminates the matutinal caress, assuming an airy indifference to all of her husband's domestic vagaries. These include the invention of a mythical Mrs. Mack whose complicated disorders call him to her bedside every time that Mrs. Fergusson wishes him to take her to the races. "I wouldn't care so much," sobs Penelope, "only Dickie backs her horses, and if she wins she pockets the money, and if she loses she doesn't pay up her stake." "What makes you think that?" asks her father. "Well," confesses Penelope, "I do it myself." Penelope has another scheme. Every time that Dickie wanders she assuages her agony by replenishing her wardrobe, which further elevates her in his estimation. Finally, of course, she refascinates him with her unconcern, and he grows weary of Mrs. Fergusson. A prospective trip to Paris with the lady begins to pall upon him, and he announces the obsequies of Mrs. Mack. The intrigue has lost its savor. He is thoroughly tamed, and Penelope enjoys the triumph of dismissing Mrs. Fergusson in a metaphorical fashion, and of realizing that her husband is in that state of subjugation familiarly known as "eating out of the hand."

Mr. Maugham has been sneered at for his predilection to give the public what it deserves rather than to give it what it needs. He was a "serious" playwright once upon a time, and his output was disregarded by those who afford financial support to the theater. So he properly engaged in the manufacture of pifle for the people, and he has prospered. But his plays, trifling as they are, usually have an idea, and that idea usually is developed smartly and with an insight into human character that, however broad, is significant. At the risk of being disloyal to "American playwrights," in whom we have hope and for whom we have respect, his plays are never blowsy—they are trim, sophisticated, and finished, and that is a quality which recent revelations of the home grown product have not disclosed. He is aided, of course, in the instance of "Penelope," by Miss Tempest, who is a finished comedienne, and by her company, which is a well trained and adept English organization of players.

Last evening, we regret to observe, there were moments when Miss Tempest indicated her lack of faith in our perception and burlesqued several scenes to an unnecessary extent. Without any undue conceit, we feel that we may say to Miss Tempest that a first night audience at Powers' theater, Chicago, is not necessarily barbarian, and that it will grasp the subtle points of acting and of drama even more quickly than an audience at the Comedy theater in London.

For example, her sadly overacted scene with Miss Trevor, playing as Mrs. Fergusson, where the passing of Mrs. Mack is recited, would have been much more effective had it been less travestied. And there were several instances of this lack of faith. Miss Tempest's antiquing tricks are to be forgiven as elements of her personality, but when they are overdone, as they were last evening, one feels disposed to remonstrate. English actors in plays like "Penelope" are better than American actors, but English audiences are not. For the benefit of those who are yet to enjoy Mr. Maugham's play at Powers' we beseech that she subdue certain portions of her performance and make them less burlesque. The company supporting Miss Tempest is, we should say, an aggregation of second rate English actors—at that, much superior to the average American cast—and in the cases of Mr. Wilfred Draycott, as the snobbish Mr. Barlow, and Mr. Herbert Ross, as the sapient Prof. Golightly, most excellent. Mr. Philip Desbrough, as Dr. O'Farrell, seemed to be a bit immature for that rôle, and there were other minor flaws in the cast. But Miss Tempest's smartness and that of Mr. Maugham made amends for it all.

MISS MABEL BUNYEA IN "THE GIRL IN THE TAXI"

Miss Bunyea is visible at the Cort as a riant lady of the theater—a participant in the wild prandial pleasures at the Café Riche in "The Girl in the Taxi." This café, by the way, was once known as the Café Martin, but the name was changed out of courtesy to the management of that New York restaurant, which feared the representation at the Cort might lead to misapprehensions.

"Bright Eyes" Lacking in Music.

New York, Feb. 28.—[Special.]—"Bright Eyes," a so-called musical play based upon the farce, "Mistakes Will Happen," came to the New York theater tonight. The same authors who rebuilt another comedy into "Three Twins" tried the plan again, but they made a mistake in providing only one real bit of melody in the score. The song, too, is called "Bright Eyes," and if persistence counts for anything, copies of it ought to sell fast in the lobby.

It's a nice number, but one song doesn't make a musical show, even if it does constitute a large part of this one.

The first act, although it disclosed a familiar scene, was promising. If the other acts had been up to the standard set at the beginning there would have been a different story to tell.

"A Son of the People" Pleases.

New York, Feb. 28.—[Special.]—For two out of its three acts "A Son of the People," which had its first American performance tonight at the New theater, proved a more than commonly diverting entertainment. The play has no "message." It contains no moral. There is no lesson to be derived from witnessing it. It merely tells in its first two acts a story of war and love and gets hold of one's interest and holds closely.

Of the third act so much cannot be said. But two-thirds is better than nothing at all.

"A Son of the People" is a translation of the play originally known as "A Revolutionary Wedding" by a Danish writer, Sophus Michaelis. The original play has been performed with considerable success abroad.

The impersonation of the revolutionary colonel by John Mason was a dignified and forceful bit of work exhibiting in a marked degree the qualities of poise and balance which we have come to expect from him. The heroine was in the capable hands of Miss Catherine Kaelred. She has both charm and method, even if she seems nervous at present.

George Hamlin's Recital.

BY GLENN DILLARD GUNN.

THE much discussed question as to whether classic songs should be sung in English or in the original tongue was answered in no uncertain manner by a large audience in the Grand opera house Sunday afternoon. George Hamlin gave his second song recital for the present season on that occasion, and elected to present a program that was entirely in the vernacular. For the German and French songs Mr. Hamlin found admirable translations. His selections from the literature of Anglo-Saxon folk and art songs gave cause for wonder at the variety and worth of the works presented, and in both divisions of his program one found occasion only for the heartiest commendation in estimating the vocal and interpretative gifts and attainments of the singer.

Mr. Hamlin, who now stands with David Bispham as the most distinguished American song interpreter, must have experienced a rare pleasure in the responsiveness of his audience. He is master of diction in three languages, but to the majority of his hearers this potent quality in his art is lost when he sings German or French. Sunday their admiration was given freely and equally to the splendid declamation and the beautiful vocal art.

The Wide, Wide World.

Bulgaria Compared to an American State.

BY GEORGE A. DORSEY, PH. D., LL. D.

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SOFIA, Bulgaria, Dec. 4.—Bulgaria contains 38,080 square miles and the population at the last census, 1905, was 4,035,575. It has 106 inhabitants to the square mile. Thus in area it is a little larger than Indiana, but not quite so large as Oklahoma. Its population is less than that of Ohio, but considerably more than that of Texas. Its density of population is about that of Ohio. In fact, in size, total population and density, it more nearly resembles Ohio than it does any other state in the union.

When we push the comparison of Bulgaria with Ohio discrepancies appear in a constantly increasing number. Take the distribution of population. Bulgaria has twenty-six cities, each containing more than 10,000 inhabitants, but its largest city, the capital, contains less than 85,000. Ohio has thirty-two cities, each of more than 10,000 population, including five, each with more than 100,000. Forty per cent of Ohio's population is found in its twenty-five largest cities; only 12 per cent of Bulgaria's inhabitants are found in her first twenty-five cities.

Of all the people of Bulgaria less than 126,000 were born abroad. The foreign born population of Ohio numbers over half a million. This number does not include nearly 100,000 negroes.

Comparison of Schools.

Take schools. In Ohio there were 771,476 children in the public elementary schools, with 23,829 teachers. In Bulgaria there were 340,668 pupils, with 7,786 teachers. Bulgaria expended, on an average, 41 cents per inhabitant for elementary education. In public high schools Ohio had 55,933 pupils, with 2,588 teachers; Bulgaria had 13,471, with about 500 teachers. Bulgaria has one university, with 943 students and a teaching staff of 54; Ohio has 18 universities, with 15,613 students and a teaching staff of 951.

Ohio has 9,930 miles of railroad, Bulgaria 992. The total exports and imports of Bulgaria for 1907 amounted to about $50,000,000. This was less than one-third the value of the output of Ohio's iron and steel industry; it is only a little more than the value of Ohio's output of carriages and wagons; it is less than one-fourth the amount paid in Ohio in 1905 in salaries and wages in manufacturing industries.

Real Difference Is Deep.

But, after all, the difference between Ohio and Bulgaria is not in miles of railroad or in comparative numbers of live stock or even in the number of children in school. The difference between the two countries is much more profound than can be brought out by any statistics, no matter to what extent they might be carried. But if we push the comparison one step further we come closer to a true estimate of the difference between them. Bulgaria is ruled by a king at an annual salary of $240,000, with an additional allowance of $130,000 for the maintenance of his palace, etc. The salary of the governor of Ohio is $10,000. Bulgaria expends, on an average, $8,000,000 a year on her army, but less than $1,000,000 on her annual budget of education.

The sequence of events which has brought about the Bulgaria of today is of quite a different nature from those which have made the Ohio of today. Bulgaria was an empire in Europe when Ohio was a splendid forest, with Indian villages and cornfields along its rivers and buffalo on its prairies. The early settlers of Ohio were picked men, of the best of Anglo-Saxon culture. They had the forests and the Indians to contend with, but they carried with them traditions of individual freedom, centuries old, and a culture which was founded on intelligence, with which was associated clean business ethics and a sane, wholesome social life.

Bulgaria's Glory in Leaders.

When Bulgaria was at her height it was an eminence brought about by the efforts of a few powerful leaders. With them perished glory and often extent of territory. The common people, the so-called peasants, remained to struggle and perpetuate their kind as their fathers had done before. These peasants were not savages, they were not wild beasts, they were not degraded creatures; they were hard, rough, primitive people, rich in their mythology, religion, folk tales, songs, and art.

They were masters, after primitive fashion, of agriculture. They were horsemen and a pastoral people, owning flocks of sheep, herds of cattle, and droves of pigs. They made their own clothing, and dressed well. In their house life they were not, after our standards, comfortable, but as much so as the early settlers in Ohio. Of certain amenities of life they probably possessed more. They struggled among themselves, as man has a way of doing throughout the world, and the various tribes or linguistic groups contended one against another.

But they were usually serfs. They went with the land. All that they did not require for their own use, and often some of that, went to keep somebody or something in luxury—the czar or a prince. The impressive thing about conditions in these times is the gulf which separated the common people from their rulers, temporal and spiritual.

Worse Off Under Turks.

With the advent of the Turks the Bulgarian peasant exchanged masters. He undoubtedly got the worst of the bargain. At any rate, his condition did not improve. While the common people of other parts of Europe, especially of western, were emerging from their serfdom and getting it into their minds that they were entitled to certain kinds of individual liberty, as well as a share in their government, the Bulgarian common people struggled, not so much for existence as to satisfy the demands of their Turkish or Phanariot tax gatherers.

When the pioneers of Ohio were killing Indians and extending their cornfields and increasing the number of their pigs and enlarging the little red schoolhouse the Bulgarian was glad to keep a roof over his head and enough cornmeal and cabbage in the house to keep alive. He wasn't working for himself. He was content to satisfy the impulse to exist. Whatever leaders came to the front, as a rule, cast their lot with the dominant element, the Turks.

It is not fair to compare Bulgaria with Ohio. At any rate, it is not fair to draw from such a comparison any invidious conclusion. The people of the two states a hundred years ago, just as they are today, were the products of their physical and social environment. If we agree that what we call Anglo-Saxon culture represents a higher type than that prevailing in the Balkans the man of Ohio has had a tremendous advantage over the man of Bulgaria. Each must be judged, not so much by what he is or what he is doing as in the light of what has happened in his previous history.

Bulgarian Moral as Ohioan.

The average man in Bulgaria today is probably as honest as the average man in Ohio. He is at least as moral, even when judged from our own point of view. He drinks less, he smokes less, he does not gamble. He will do some of these things as he develops, as he comes closer in touch with so-called modern culture. He works just as hard and through longer hours. But he does not work to such purpose. His mind lacks the training which would enable him both to adjust himself to new conditions and to bring into consciousness present conditions, in order to devise ways of improving them.

This is the real difference between an educated and an uneducated man or between high culture and primitive culture. What we call civilization is not the product of chance or fortuitous circumstances, or even of fate or destiny, but it comes about and develops through a people becoming more and more conscious of their own activities. Primitive man, the man of little culture, is at the mercy of his physical and mental surroundings.

This does not imply that we can explain the culture of any people by its physical surroundings. It would seem that man more often does things in spite of his physical environment. But he does it in accordance with precedent. He does it because some one else has done it. When he changes it is generally because he has seen some one else, supposedly his superior, doing it differently. Even then he changes slowly, because man, in spite of being man, is a most conservative animal.

The man of so-called civilization or of high culture acts in accordance with a range of experience which he has brought into his consciousness and finds worthy. This ability to reject, especially this power to reconstruct and invent, is the distinguishing feature of our present generation. It makes for change at a greater rate of progress than the world has known before in its whole history.

Culture and Ability.

The fact that a certain group of people or a certain nation has not reached a plane of culture which meets with our approval does not imply lack of ability, much less inherent stupidity. Man has been on this earth for thousands of years. In one spot he develops rapidly, in another slowly, the rate of progress depending on many factors, not the least important of which is the character of his neighbors. A cultured nation acts on an uncultured one and tends to draw it to its own high level. But the opposite tendency always is at work. The man of the civilized world has a tendency more and more to despise those below him and to forget the course of training through which he has passed to reach his eminence. Having reached it, he alters his method of life. The result is material, out of which historians write the Rise and Fall.

From the ordinary historic point of view Ohio is a new state, but from the other and truer she is as old as the culture of the people who make up her population. When we take this into account, Bulgaria is a much more modern state than Ohio, unfortunate in her neighbors, her religion, and her rulers. Her people today probably are as democratic at heart as those of Ohio.

It seems strange to us that when she got her freedom she should set over herself an expensive king, much less go out of her own ranks to find one. But in doing this she was following precedent and especially she was carrying out the wishes of her powerful neighbors to the north, who would not tolerate a republic in the Balkans lest such a government cause trouble in their own territory. Bulgaria has virtually the form of government which her bosses at the congress of Berlin told her to have. The desire for a republic is not as strong here as in Hungary, although the elements which make up Bulgaria are perhaps even more democratic than those of Hungary. That Bulgaria is not a republic is due not only to the mandate of the powers, which decreed otherwise, but to the fact that the people have not got into their heads that it is possible for them to have a republic. Consequently they do not think about it; they take it for granted that their present form of government is the best and the only one possible.

Parliament Has Much Power.

You must not think from this that Ferdinand is an absolute monarch. The real affairs of the nation, outside of the army, are conducted in the parliament. I watched this body at work for over an hour today. The first word I heard on entering the hall was "America." Some member was making a comparison between their own methods of procedure and those which prevail in our lower house. But what most impressed me was the fact that in the body were seven men each in the garb of a Mohammedan. These men are Turks, enjoying all the rights and privileges of citizens and representing their Turkish constituency in the national sobranje. This is a pretty good sort of democracy. What next impressed me was the earnestness of the delegates. They are a serious, black headed lot of men, in ordinary garb, and no Ohio state legislator takes his work more seriously or performs his duties to the state more conscientiously than do these men. They lack the polish, and the fine clothes, and the carefully trimmed beard of the Roumanian representative, and the self-consciousness of the fiery Hungarian. They appear to be what they are, men of the country.

Woman, Her Work and Interests

Just Between Us Girls.

BY SISTER MARY.

WHAT some newspapers are fond of calling "a storm of protest" seems to have been started by Franz Blei's statement about a woman's sympathy after all. I was writing the other day about his rather astonishing epigram on: "The sympathy which we men always have for women and women never have for men arises from the feeling that is always in us: 'My mother gave her life for me in pain and sleepless nights.' Our love for women we owe to our mothers."

As I was saying, the women only laugh when they read it, but I am glad to report that the men are volunteering serious replies, all of which are to the effect that Mr. Blei is wrong. Any number of them have asked to have men put on record as believing in woman's sympathy and appreciating it. They are good enough to say that it is one of the things that makes the world go around. An elderly man came limping up to me with an anecdote which he is most eager to see in print, as he thinks it may in a measure vindicate the injustice done women by Mr. Blei.

There was a celebrated literary man who was engaged to marry a charming young woman, and his friends tried to break off the match because they said that he was too dissipated to marry her.

"I do not love you," said the literary man to the girl, in an effort to be square, "but I have a feeling of peace and joy when I am with you that I have never felt with any other living being. It is your serenity, your bigness, your sympathy."

The girl replied that if he felt, if he wished, if he needed her sympathy, she would never give him up. And so they were married, and their marriage has turned out gloriously.

But if there is anything less true than the first half of Mr. Blei's sentence, in which even the men repudiate him, it is perhaps the latter half. No man ever thinks of any other woman in any way remotely resembling his mental image of his mother, and they all of them think of their mothers in exactly the same way. As Judge Grosscup said, if you should draw up a highly idealized characterization of something half angel, half woman, and ask every man in the world who it was, each one of them would reply, "My mother." Yet it would perhaps bear only a slight resemblance to the somewhat selfish, vain women who called some of those men sons.

No other woman could ever hope to get into that sacred circle which surrounds a man's image of his mother, and the nearest she can approach it is to step back out of the foreground of his consciousness, where he thinks of her as a female individual of his acquaintance, into the glamourous perspective, where he bunches all womankind under the general heading "Woman." Then if some people made a characterization of them which he would recognize as he did his mother, they would say the sex that a man must fight for, in whose presence he must stand with bared head, whose honor he must defend against even false accusations, whose reputations must be preserved even by lying or by a silence which turns suspicion upon himself.

Woman in these two capacities, as a mother and as an undifferentiated member of her sex, will command the high, chivalrous regard of man; but in her own personal capacity, if she gets his esteem she fights for it. He regards her, hopes he is going to find her attractive, is disappointed and a little snubby if he doesn't think as highly of her as he had thought there was a possibility he might. If he chances to think highly of her, he does everything in his power to undermine his regard. He puts her to every possible test, and if she is so yielding as to do the very things that he wishes, he will never care for her again.

His mother would sacrifice everything to him that he wished, give more than he asked, and take nothing. The girl that wins him must give a little less than he asks, take more than she gives, and sacrifice nothing—at least nothing that he knows about.

Health and Beauty.

BY MARIAN MARTINEAU.

BEAUTIFUL arms taper gradually from shoulder to wrist, and when perfectly proportioned display curves of exquisite grace. But perfectly molded arms are rarely seen. The arms are apt to be either too thin or too fat, especially between the elbow and the shoulder. To build up or reduce the arms to correct proportions, judicious exercise is beneficial. Persistent and daily treatment is imperative to gain results, and it is best to set aside a time each day—directly after the bath is best. The exercises I recommend are extremely simple, but must be done thoroughly with the mind fixed upon the object to be attained.

Stand firmly on the floor and extend the arms horizontally; now imagine a heavy weight in each hand; slowly force this weight up until the palms meet above the head, at the same time resisting the effort to raise the weight. Lower the arms and the imaginary weight in the same manner.

Another simple exercise is to thrust the arms out straight; make them tense; now grasp an imaginary object and lift it to the shoulder, then to the head; return it to the shoulder, then straight before you. This exercise necessitates turning the forearm over after grasping the imaginary object, in order to place it on the shoulder; this develops the forearm and benefits the elbow.

The skin on the arms often requires special attention. Roughness is caused by minute dry deposits that clog up the pores, and they can easily be removed by scrubbing them vigorously with hot water, bland soap, and a flesh brush or loofah sponge; if this is not effectual, use powdered pumice stone, rubbing it over the parts gently, being careful not to break or bruise the skin. Dry the arms well and apply any bland cream. This softens the skin, while rubbing it with hot water and some counterirritant stimulates the circulation.

Now that the cucumber is coming into season again, I can recommend nothing more potent in whitening the skin than the expressed juice. But, like every other vegetable, the cucumber is liable to sour, and the juice must either be expressed often or some preservative added. Either alcohol or tincture of benzoin is often added, and both harden and wrinkle any skin if freely used, so it is best to use the cucumbers a little at a time and often, keeping the juice cool. I have formulas for the cold cream made from this vegetable to send by mail. If used raw, remember the virtue lies largely in the rind, and apply in thick slices.

In Rough Green Straw.

One of the new sailor models in dull, coarse green straw. Trimmings of wings. From Marshall Field's.

Economical Housekeeping.

BY JANE EDDINGTON.

Roast Beef.

"The roast was a picture for painters to study. The fat was so white and the lean was so ruddy."—Goldsmith.

ONE of the most prominent writers and teachers of cookery in the country has, as others have done, prepared a whole year of menus, and though nothing is said about this being for people of narrow means, yet roast beef occurs not more than half a dozen times for the year. That would be a roast once in two months. It seems to me a good joke that she has put cold roast beef in but once, and that when hot roast has not been on the bill of fare for six weeks. And I think, too, that most of us would rather have roast than jambalaya, fricandeau, impernads, and poicata, all of which, with some other things, sound interesting but do not stimulate our gastatory imagination.

The people in a boarding house complain bitterly if they do not have roast beef at least once in the week, and some of them want it half of the time. Nearly every comfortable home is likely to have a Sunday roast once or twice a month, if not one on Tuesday and Wednesday. Well cooked no meat is so universally liked, and every scrap of it can be used in some way even to the bone, if it has one. Cold, and in hash, and in many made dishes it can be seasoned, decorated, or accompanied so as to be genuinely tempting to the appetite even when jaded.

There is a good deal of difference of opinion as to how a roast should be prepared. The new cooks say that it should always be wiped, never washed—some recommend vinegar for this purpose. But all such ideas as this must be accepted with discretion. The old fashioned way was to wash the roast, and, while it was still wet, to rub into it salt and flour. Dredging the flour on can never take the place of this rubbing in any more than throwing talcum powder at the face can take the place of the chamois well applied. The flour browns quickly and helps to make a firm outside, which keeps the juices in. And the salt helps, too, although one of the great writing cooks says that it draws out the juices and should not be put on until the roast is nearly done. But juices drawn to the surface and quickly browned by heat make a delicious caramel. They are not lost and they do make the edge of the slices as tasty as any part.

Some cooks, who are longer on theory than quick in imagination, and who put more emphasis on cooking than they do on eating—after all food is for eating, you know—say that water must never be used in the pan. Some of the best cooks in the world have both washed beef and rubbed salt into it before putting it into the pan.

In case the meat is lean, and some of the cheaper cuts are likely to have less fat than those more expensive, some trimmings of fat may be put in the pan, and our theorists say that we must never use water there. If the roast is a close fit for the pan, water may not be needed, but otherwise we must have it to keep the juices, if any, and the fat from burning, and for the basting. But it must be boiling water, a cupful.

But perhaps most vital of all is the fire—we used to talk about the clear fire. The oven must be piping hot when the roast goes in, and after a little the heat must be decreased so that when the slices are carved, they will be red throughout. If the whole operation is carried on at a high temperature, the surface is hardened before the heat can penetrate to the center, and the appearance of the meat when carved is almost repulsive. We have all seen slices of roast beef with dark, almost purple, centers, which the eye rejected, but the outside of which we may have tried to eat and found it dry and unpalatable.

A poor piece of meat, if properly seasoned and basted, and cooked at the right temperature, can be made palatable and nutritious. And it must be taken out of the oven when it is done, whether the family are ready to eat it or not. It is better to have it cold than dry.

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are better than American actors, audiences are not. For the benefit o are yet to enjoy Mr. Maugham's Mers' we beseech that she subdue ions of her performance and make urlesque. The company supporting st is, we should say, an aggrega- ond rate English actors—at that, or to the average American cast— cases of Mr. Wilfred Draycott, as Mr. Barlow, and Mr. Herbert Ross, nt Prof. Golightly, most excellent. Desbrough, as Dr. O'Farrell, seemed immature for that rôle, and there minor flaws in the cast. But Miss martness and that of Mr. Maugham e for it all.

t Eyes" Lacking in Music.

Feb. 28.—[Special.]—"Bright Eyes," musical play based upon the farce, Will Happen,' came to the New York ght. The same authors who rebuilt edy into "Three Twins" tried the but they made a mistake in pro- one real bit of melody in the score. oo, is called "Bright Eyes," and if counts for anything, copies of it l fast in the lobby. e's number, but one song doesn't ical show, even if it does constitute of this one. act, although it disclosed a familiar promising. If the other acts had the standard set at the beginning have been a different story to tell.

on of the People" Pleases.

k, Feb. 28.—[Special.]—For two out acts "A Son of the People," which t American performance tonight at eater, proved a more than common- entertainment. The play has no It contains no moral. There is no e derived from witnessing it. It s in its first two acts a story of war nd gets hold of one's interest and 9. ird act so much cannot be said. But is better than nothing at all. f the People' is a translation of the nally known as "A Revolutionary by a Danish writer, Sophus Michael- iginal play has been performed with e success abroad. ersonation of the revolutionary colo- n Mason was a dignified and force- work exhibiting in a marked degree s of poise and balance which we have pect from him. The heroine was in hands of Miss Catherine Kaelred, oth charm and method, even if she ous at present.

eorge Hamlin's Recital.

Y GLENN DILLARD GUNN.

uch discussed question as to whether ic songs should be sung in English n the original tongue was answered uncertain manner by a large audi- in the Grand opera house Sunday. George Hamlin gave his second al for the present season on that and elected to present a program entirely in the vernacular. For the nd French songs Mr. Hamlin found translations. His selections from ture of Anglo-Saxon folk and art e cause for wonder at the variety of the works presented, and in both of his program one found occasion the heartiest commendation in esti- e vocal and interpretative gifts and ts of the singer. mlin, who now stands with David as the most distinguished American rpreter, must have experienced a rare in the responsiveness of his audience. ter of diction in three languages, but ajority of his hearers this potent his art is lost when he sings Ger- rench. Sunday their admiration was ly and equally to the splendid declа- d the beautiful vocal art.

nterests

omical Housekeeping.

BY JANE EDDINGTON.

Roast Beef.

t was a picture for painters to study as so white and the lean was so ruddy." of the most prominent writers and achers of cookery in the country has, others have done, prepared a whole ar of menus, and though nothing is said out this being for people of narrow et roast beef occurs not more than half times for the year. That would be a ce in two months. It seems to me s that she has put cold roast beef in but d that when hot roast has not been on of fare for six weeks. And I think, too, st of us would rather have roast than a, fricandeau, impernada, and polents, hich, with some other things, sound in- but do not stimulate our gastatory tion.

eople in a boarding house complain bit- they do not have roast beef at least once eek, and some of them want it half of e. Nearly every comfortable home is o have a Sunday roast once or twice a if not one on Tuesday and Wednesday. oked no meat is so universally liked, and rap of it can be used in some way even one, if it has one. Cold, and in hash, and made dishes it can be seasoned, deco- or accompanied so as to be genuinely g to the appetite even when jaded. is a good deal of difference of opinion ow a roast should be prepared. The new ay that it should always be wiped, never —some recommend vinegar for this pur- But all such ideas as this must be ac- with discretion. The old fashioned way wash the roast, and, while it was still rub into it salt and flour. Dredging the can never take the place of this rubbing more than throwing talcum powder at the to take the place of the chamois well ap- The flour browns quickly and helps to firm outside, which keeps the juices in. salt helps, too, although one of the great cooks says that it draws out the juices uld not be put on until the roast is near- But juices drawn to the surface and browned by heat make a delicious cara- hey are not lost and they do make the the slices as tasty as any part.

cooks, who are longer on theory than n imagination, and who put more empha- ooking than they do on eating—after all for eating, you know—say that water ver be used in the pan. Some of the best n the world have both washed beef and salt into it before putting it into the pan. se the meat is lean, and some of the cuts are likely to have less fat than more expensive, some trimmings of fat put in the pan, and our theorists say e must never use water there. If the a close fit for the pan, water may not ded, but otherwise we must have it to e juices, if any, and the fat from furbe- d for the basting. But it must be boiling a cupful.

perhaps most vital of all is the fire—we talk about the clear fire. The oven must ng hot when the roast goes in, and after the heat must be decreased so that when es are carved, they will be red through- f the whole operation is carried on at a mperature, the surface is hardened before at pan penetrate to the center, and the ap- ce of the meat when carved is almost pe- . We have all seen slices of roast beef ark, almost purple, centers, which the eye d, but the outside of which we may have o eat and found it dry and unpalatable.

er piece of meat, if properly seasoned and and cooked at the right temperature, can e palatable and nutritious. And it must n out of the oven when it is done, whether ally are ready to eat it or not. It is bet- have it cold than dry.

PATTENS TO QUIT ACTIVE BUSINESS

Will Retire on July 1, When Grain Brokerage Firm Will Be Incorporated.

BARTLETT GOES OUT, TOO.

Three Noted Market Manipulators Say They Have Accumulated Enough Money.

James A. Patten, wheat, corn, and oats king, will shed the worries and lay aside the cares of active brokerage business on July 1 next, coincident with the incorporation of the firm with which he has been associated for more than a quarter of a century.

With this retirement from active business, two other principal members of the firm of Bartlett, Patten & Co.—William H. Bartlett and George W. Patten—will also cease their active interest in the concern. These three men feel that it no longer is necessary to undertake the daily grind of business for the mere accumulation of money, with which all three are plentifully supplied.

James A. Patten left Chicago yesterday afternoon for New York, en route for Liverpool to study the cotton situation there, and he dropped the little announcement of his impending retirement, as a sort of parting stock to the board of trade, whose members for many years have been accustomed to receive his pronunciamentos with feelings akin to awe.

"I've made my pile, and I'm going to quit," was Mr. Patten's characteristic way of putting it. "My partners, W. H. Bartlett and George W. Patten also have made enough to permit them to retire, and on July 1 the firm of Bartlett, Patten & Co. will be incorporated with the younger members of the present concern in active control.

Will Own Stock in New Company.

"Some of our money will be invested in the stock of the new company when it is incorporated but the other members will conduct the business.

"Sufficient funds will be left in the coffers of the new company to enable it to transact business as heretofore. It is probable that neither my brother, Mr. Bartlett nor myself will engage in active business again, but will rest and spend our money without being hampered by business interests of a conflicting character.

"We are all of us getting well along in years. My brother has not been in good health for several years, and desires that he be relieved of business cares. In the case of Mr. Bartlett there is a special reason for his seeking retirement. He was thrown from a horse on his New Mexico ranch about a year ago and never fully recovered from the injury. Responsibilities of business have become irksome and he has been considering retiring for some time.

"We three have as much money as we need, so why should we keep on trying to make more? We have spent a good many years making it, and now propose to enjoy it."

Henry J. Patten, Charles B. Pierce, William E. Hudson, George E. Fuller, and Edward D. W. Pogue, who have been associated with the concern for years, will have the active management of the new corporation.

Membership in Board Retained.

There is nothing in Mr. Patten's announcement which indicates any intention on the part of himself and the two senior partners who will retire with him to cease operations on the board of trade.

They are not proposing to sell their individual memberships on the board of trade. "Patten corners" may be expected with as much frequency as ever. It is possible even that with the minds of these three veteran operators freed of the petty annoyances incident to the conduct of a commission business, more attention will be given to individual deals such as have made the name of Patten as famous from one end of the country to another as was that of "Old Hutch" in the palmy days of that noted operator in the wheat pit.

James A. Patten, W. H. Bartlett, and Frank P. Frazier came to Chicago in 1875, and bought memberships on the board of trade. For a number of years they acted as floor brokers and independent operators on a small scale. Later they formed the commission firm of Bartlett, Frazier & Co., and began making some sensational deals.

Sued Because of "Corner."

The firm caused a corner in oats about seven years ago, and Waite & Thorburn, another commission firm, sought relief in the courts from fulfilling contracts with Bartlett, Frazier & Co. and charged them with causing an illegal corner. Waite & Thorburn were beaten in the courts.

For several years after that Patten, who was the leading spirit in these big operations, confined his maneuvers to the coarse grains, oats and corn, and won the title of "corn king." Two years ago he essayed a corner in wheat, which went against him, and he and the other members of his firm dropped out of the market, dumping a long line of wheat they had accumulated. Prices tumbled and it was said their losses were heavy, but were more than made good by the profits of corners in corn and oats which they ran at the same time and carried through.

Last year Patten ran his first successful corner in wheat, which is said to have netted him and his partners $10,000,000. It is said the combined wealth of J. A. and George W. Patten and W. A. Bartlett is close to $50,-000,000.

DOCTOR HELD IN VAUGHN CASE IS NOT YET PLACED IN JAIL.

Although Refused Bail When Arraigned, Hull Is Under Guard at Hotel—Sheriff Is Obdurate.

Kirksville, Mo., Feb. 28.—Although Dr. James R. Hull of Monroe City, under arrest on a charge of murdering Prof. J. T. Vaughn, was refused bail when arraigned before Circuit Judge Shelton this afternoon, he has not yet been placed in jail. He is guarded at a hotel.

Prosecuting Attorney Reiger is bitter in his denunciation of Sheriff Williams for not placing Hull in jail, but the sheriff is obdurate, and Hull, it is understood, will not be placed in a cell at all unless the habeas corpus writ calls.

Reiger's demand that Hull be refused bail also is causing some comment, as Mrs. Alma Vaughn, the widow, jointly indicted with Hull, has been released on $25,000 bail.

Hull was arraigned and pleaded not guilty, at the same time asking to be released on bail. His request was refused and the hearing was continued until this afternoon, when the application finally was denied.

OPINION ON SOUTHERN RATES.

Commerce Commission Hands Down a Ruling Affecting Charges from Chicago to Dixie Points.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28.—[Special.]—The interstate commerce commission handed down its opinion today in the Montgomery freight bureau case, involving rates from Chicago and other points in the west to Montgomery, Ala. The commission finds that it is not unlawful for railroads to charge lower rates to Montgomery than to Pensacola and Mobile, but holds that no such rate should be higher than the combination of rates by way of Mobile. On rates to Montgomery as compared with those to Birmingham the commission finds Birmingham to be entitled to a lower rate from the Ohio river and Mississippi river points than is Montgomery. The case has been before the commission since October, 1908.

Swift & Company's sales of fresh beef in Chicago for the week ending Saturday, Feb. 26, averaged 8.62c per pound.—Adv.

SLEUTHS OUTWITTED BY COLE

Timber Broker Revisits Chicago and Escapes Service of Writs.

CUTS BUSINESS TIES HERE.

Transfers Office to Kansas City to Avoid Suits by Former Wife.

Howard G. Cole has severed all his Chicago business connections and believes he has made himself and his wife, Mrs. Hunt-Cole, immune from the prosecutions threatened by his former wife, Mrs. Hattie Dunwody Cole.

He came to Chicago secretly last week and escaped the watchfulness of the former wife's detectives, who were prepared to serve him with papers in a $100,000 alienation of affections suit against his present wife, and with a summons in contempt proceedings because of his marriage to the architect's ex-wife before the expiration of two years after their divorces.

His timber brokerage business has been moved to Kansas City. Mr. Cole expects to return here again on business in the near future, but his wife has no intention of coming to Chicago before the two years has expired.

Elopes Soon After Divorce.

Cole gave his former wife the Evanston residence and two pieces of south side property as a divorce settlement and agreed that Judge Dupuy should insert a $7,200 annual alimony clause in the decree.

In January, less than a month after the divorce, Cole and Mrs. Hunt eloped to Jacksonville, Fla. That aroused the anger of Mrs. Hattie Cole and she announced her intention to sue her successor for alienation of affections. When she talked litigation Cole's lawyer said she could not get service upon him and also held that contempt proceedings would not hold because he was supposed to have become a bona fide resident of Jacksonville.

Nevertheless, Cole was afraid. He closed out his Chicago affairs and moved the corporation, after reorganization, to Kansas City. He departed Saturday night, and by Sunday night every clerk had followed.

Lets Former Secretary Out.

Cole suspected his former secretary, Charles N. Lawrence, of sympathizing with the former wife and paid him a big price for his interest in the concern. It is understood that Cole has made or will make one of his stenographers secretary of the new concern. Cole retains the presidency of the new concern, known as the Howard Cole company. Henry Harms of Pekin, Ill., is the next largest stockholder. It is a $250,000 corporation. His purpose in moving everything to Kansas City is to put everything he possesses beyond the reach of his former wife.

The second installment of alimony, amounting to $1,800, is due on March 10. After receiving this installment it is believed Mrs. Hattie Cole will take her children to the home of her parents in Atlanta, Ga. Since the sale of her Evanston residence, she has lived at the Hotel Vincennes. She refused to be interviewed last night.

RECEIVERS FOR TEXTILE MILLS APPOINTED AT NEW ORLEANS.

Federal Court Takes Action in Case of Concern Capitalized at $5,000,000—General Electric Company Creditor.

New Orleans, La., Feb. 28.—Receivers for the Textile Mills corporation were appointed in the United States Circuit court here this afternoon. The concern has a capitalization of $5,000,000 and operates several cotton mills in Louisiana and Mississippi.

The General Electric company of New York with a claim against the corporation of $4,500 filed the petition for a receivership, declaring that the corporation was unable to meet its obligations.

Judge Pardee appointed Harry T. Howard, William Mason Smith, and George A. Hero receivers.

WOMEN PROSTRATE TWO DAYS: DOPED COFFEE IS THE CAUSE.

Pennsylvania Victim Crawls Half Mile to Neighbor—Daughter Unconscious —Chemist Examining Sediment.

Washington, Pa., Feb. 28.—After she and her daughter had lain prostrate for forty-eight hours as a result of supposed poison in their coffee, Mrs. Amanda Bailey today partly recovered and crawled half a mile to the nearest neighbor for help. While both women are expected to recover, they are in a serious condition. The daughter is still unconscious. A chemist is analyzing a sediment found in the coffee.

"POLICY LOANS" NOT TAXABLE.

Supreme Court Decides Local Authorities Cannot Levy Against Insurance Companies on Them.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28.—That the so-called "policy loans" or "premium line-note loans" of insurance companies are not liable to local taxation was decided today by the Supreme court. The question came up in the case of the parish of Orleans and the city of New Orleans against the New York Life Insurance company.

The local tax authorities levied a tax on the agreements between insurance companies and their policyholders, under which the companies advanced to their holders the reserve value of their policies.

In the case of the New York Life Insurance company it was sought to tax agreements that totaled $568,900.

DIPLOMAT IN CARRIAGE CRASH.

Minister Gude and Wife Narrowly Escape Injury When Auto Strikes Their Vehicle.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28.—[Special.]—The Norwegian minister to Washington, Ove Gude, and Mme. Gude, narrowly escaped injury in an automobile accident tonight.

They were on their way from the legation to a dinner when the carriage in which they were riding was struck by a touring car. The smash broke the front portion of the carriage, partly releasing the horses. The latter started to run away. The coachman was thrown, lost control of the team, and the carriage narrowly escaped being overturned. The horses stopped after a run of half a block.

The accident was caused by the slippery condition of the streets.

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GIVES PERMIT FOR HALF MILE PIER

U. S. Says Iroquois Iron Co. May Fill In Land at Mouth of Calumet River.

ASKS FOR "OBJECTIONS."

Council Committee to Look Into Proposition; Peddlers Can Shout for Two Weeks.

Chicago and the United States government may become embroiled over the application of the Iroquois Iron company for permission to fill in submerged lands at the mouth of the Calumet river and to construct a private pier half a mile long parallel to and fifty feet south of the present government pier, which is to be torn down.

Notice that application for the required permission had been considered favorably was given in a letter received yesterday by Mayor Busse from Secretary of War J. M. Dickinson. After being read to the common council last night the communication was referred to the committee on harbors, wharves, and bridges.

In his letter Secretary Dickinson evidently has in mind the recent dispute between his department and the Chicago sanitary district over the construction of a bridge across the Calumet river. In spite of the sanitary district's insistence upon a 200 feet span in the interest of navigation the war department stood by its already given permission to construct a bridge with 140 feet of span.

Dickinson Asks for Objections.

"Some time since," writes Mr. Dickinson, "I adopted the rule of notifying the authorities of the city of Chicago in matters of this sort, that they might have an opportunity to represent the public interests if they should be affected thereby. Will you advise me whether the city of Chicago is interested in this matter and whether it objects to the approval of the recommendation of the chief of engineers, and if so, for what reasons?"

The arguments advanced for the project are that it will result in a wider entrance to the river and the construction of a "substantial dock to replace the present south pier, part of which is dilapidated and requires early reconstruction."

"A substantial dock" is the only description of the proposed pier that appears in Mr. Dickinson's letter. Explicit permission is given the Iroquois Iron company to reach the dock by passage through the lands and property of the United States lighthouse. The length of the dock is to be 2,061 feet from the property of the Chicago and Burlington railroad property.

Peddlers May Shout Two Weeks.

Among the points to be looked into by Chairman Foell's committee are whether other concerns than the Iroquois Iron company will be allowed to use the dock; where and of what value are the submerged lands the corporation wishes to fill in; what compensation, direct or indirect, if any, should be exacted.

These matters settled, there would remain the question whether Secretary Dickinson would grant the permit despite objections by the city.

Peddlers may cry their wares throughout Chicago for the coming fortnight without police restraint—" provided you are not too 'raw' and do not yell your heads off," as Chief of Police Steward told fifty of the hucksters who appeared before the judiciary committee of the council. The chief thus approved the action recommended by the committee, before which he appeared at the request of Chairman Dever.

The visiting peddlers came with Edgar L. Masters as their attorney to ask for a repeal of the anti-noise ordinance. An amendment giving exemption between 9 a. m. and 6 p. m. was offered by Ald. Powers, but action was postponed for two weeks.

Taking advantage of Chief Steward's presence, Chairman Dever asked his opinion on the ordinance aimed at race horse tipsters and publications that circulate tips to bettors.

"We had a good ordinance drawn," explained the chief, "but were at once assailed by certain newspaper publishers, who said it would put their late evening editions out of business. Objections may even be made by them to the present ordinance on the ground that it is too broad."

Y. W. C. A. GIFT BY ROCKEFELLER

Lift of $25,000 Enables Cleveland Organization to Complete $100,000 Fund.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 28.—It was announced tonight that the Young Women's Christian association of Cleveland had succeeded in raising $100,000 for the purpose of clearing its building of debt. At the last moment a deficit of $25,000 was made good by John D. Rockefeller, who the week previous had contributed $100,000 to the Young Men's Christian association.

BRANDED SLAYER, GIRL COLLAPSES

Estelle Stout, in Tears, Falls Off Chair as She Is Mercilessly Arraigned.

CASE TO THE JURY TODAY

Lawyer Accuses Sister of Slain Man of Trying to Influence Men in the Box.

The Stout murder case will go to the jury today. That the twelve men in whose hands lies the fate of the youthful defendant will begin their deliberations at the noon adjournment of court and reach a verdict before night is confidently expected by attorneys for the state and defense.

The introduction of expert testimony, not anticipated at the beginning of the trial, is responsible for the failure of the case to go to the jury yesterday.

The strain on Estelle Stout, the 18-year-old girl accused of the murder of Henry Hornberger, shows its effect. When she came into the courtroom in the morning much of the buoyancy of spirit which had characterized her demeanor had disappeared. She broke down completely in the afternoon session, and many women in the audience were moved to tears of sympathy.

Brands Girl as Murderess.

State's Attorney Robert E. Crowe had begun his address to the jury. He called the girl a murderess; said that the attack on Hornberger was not in self-defense and called on the jury to renounce any feelings of sympathy which had developed during the trial.

"If Estelle Stout is not a murderess, then there is no such thing as murder in this state," he exclaimed.

At that moment Estelle Stout fell forward from her hair toward her attorneys' table. She stretched out her arms, buried her face in them and gave way to a paroxysm of tears. For five minutes the girl sobbed convulsively. Her sister sought to quiet her, and attorneys begged her to recover her self-possession. For several minutes it seemed it would be necessary to remove her from the courtroom. Finally, she dried her eyes and sat unmoved throughout the remaining hours.

Ashamed That She Broke Down.

"I was ashamed to break down," she said, after adjournment. "But you don't know how much I have been holding in. Lots of times I've nearly bitten my tongue off to keep from crying. When he began the talk to the jury it terrified me. It seemed that if what he said was true, that they ought to convict me.

"When, all of a sudden I just had to cry, and it would have killed me if I had held in any longer, I felt better after it was over and won't break down tomorrow, no matter what happens. I know the jury will think that I did it for effect. But I just couldn't help it."

Attorneys for the state and the defense have exhibited unusual bitterness. One of the witnesses for the defense attempted to shake hands with the state's attorney after he had completed his testimony, but was angrily rebuffed.

Accused of Trying to Influence Jury.

During the argument of Attorney Crowe, Mrs. Ida Schuester, a sister of Mrs. Henry Hornberger, sat in a seat near the jury box. Suddenly one of Miss Stout's attorneys sprang to his feet.

"Your honor, unless this woman ceases from making comment and doing things which tend to influence the jury, I must ask that she be removed," he exclaimed.

Judge Baldwin cautioned every one in the courtroom against doing anything that might influence the jury one way or another. State's Attorney Crowe will complete his argument this morning, to be followed by the defense.

WOMAN CLERK FOR D. A. R. IGNORES DISCHARGE ORDER.

Miss Gerald Reports for Work and May Fight Mrs. Scott, President General of the Order, in Court.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28.—Ignoring a letter of dismissal sent to her by Mrs. Matthew T. Scott, president general of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Miss Agnes Gerald reported for work as usual at the headquarters of the society here today.

This Miss Gerald did upon the advice of her lawyer, who has intimated that he believes Mrs. Scott is liable for damages in attempting to dismiss his client, and that Mrs. Scott did not have the power to dismiss Miss Gerald.

Insubordination was the reason given by Mrs. Scott in her letter to Miss Gerald for the attempted ousting. The case may be carried to court. Miss Gerald's mother is said to have campaigned for Mrs. Story, who was defeated at the last election for the presidency generalcy by Mrs. Scott.

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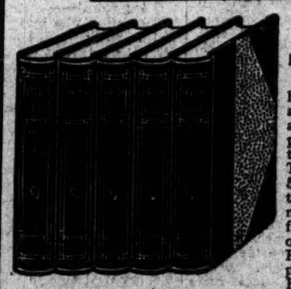

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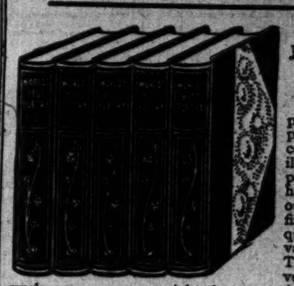

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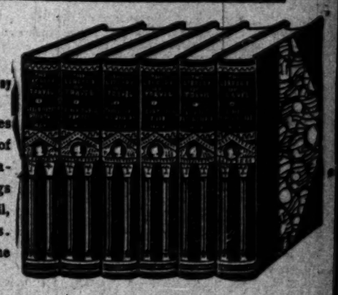

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SOCIETY MEETINGS.

...OS. J. TURNER LODGE NO. 409, A. F. & ...M.—Emergent communication Wednesday, ...ch 2, 1:30 p. m., at 425 S. Homan-av., pecial for the purpose of conducting the ...eral services of our late brother, John J. ...ner. Interment at Rosehill cemetery. ...CHAS. P. THOMPSON, W. M. ...M. TINSLEY, Secy.

THE LORIMER LETTER.

Senator Lorimer's letter to the members of the Illinois assembly attacking the ...mitt waterway bill is not convincing. ...e proves what is conceded without argument—that federal aid would be advantageous and that the consent of congress may be needed before the state could carry out the project in all its details. He does not produce a substantial reason why Illinois should delay its water power development until congress has been persuaded to become a co-constructor with the state, sharing in the expense.

Half a dozen sections of the country are making the same insistent request for federal aid as is being made by Mr. Lorimer. So long as he demands large appropriations for the Illinois river, in which there is no commerce worth mentioning now, he encounters the opposition of the Delaware, Ohio, Missouri, and to protect the upper Mississippi interests which represent waterways in being and in hope. In proving how advantageous it would be to secure the aid of the government he produces nothing to challenge the correctness of the position taken by Gov. Deneen.

If Illinois were to proceed with its waterway construction and its water power development it would not throw obstructions in the way of congressional action. It would remove them.

THE POSTAL DEFICIT.

The postmaster general declares that the material premise upon which the argument of the magazine publishers rests is faulty and that, therefore, every important conclusion reached by their advocate is fallacious. The brief for the publishers contained many specific charges and gave exact statements of figures which are now matched by equally definite declarations by the head of the postoffice department. Instead of being in the position of an abused class, as the publishers have counted themselves, the postmaster general pictures them as a positive obstruction to progress, claiming that if the rate on second class mail were made high enough to cover the entire expense of transportating and handling it, it would be possible without creating a deficit to reduce letter postage from 2 cents to 1 cent.

On the specific topic in which the public is most interested, to wit, the cost of the mails from the railroad point of view, there is no light. Mr. Cox of Indiana, in the house of representatives last week, computed the amount paid to the railroads as equivalent to 6 per cent interest on an investment of $29,000,000, and gave $4,800,000 as the total paid for the use of mail cars to the number of 2,342. At this point he claimed that the postal deficit's cause might be found on investigation.

The assistant traffic director of the Harriman lines, addressing the New York Traffic club a few evenings ago, gave detailed statements about the cost to the railroads of the mail business, proving to his own satisfaction, at least, that the outlay of the roads in this connection exceeds the income by a considerable amount. He supported his contentions by statistics which he cited as reliable.

When such conflicting and contradictory presentations of a subject are noted as those of the publishers and the postmaster general, or those of a representative in congress and a railroad official, the necessity of a clear, concise, comprehensive, and convincing report made by unbiased experts after thorough investigation is apparent. The proposed reorganization of the postoffice department may be a prerequisite to such a report under present conditions of controversy, but there is no doubt that the charges made by the railroads are considered by many people as the real source of postal deficits.

And there is still less doubt that the same system, by which some fair relation between rates and actual service is established, is a sine qua non of any just reform.

THE RAILROAD LEGISLATION PROGRAM.

President Roosevelt was able to extort railroad legislation from a reluctant congress. We shall see during the next four months whether the different methods of President Taft will have the same compelling power as those of his predecessor.

The senate committee on interstate commerce has reported out a bill which is not its handiwork but that of the attorney general. That does not make it any the more acceptable to senators. They look on it as an executive encroachment on their privileges or as an impeachment of their capacity. The other day Senator Dolliver said, "We have fallen upon times new and strange when the frame as well as details of legislation is perfected in the executive departments." So, while most senators may agree with the ideas of the bill—the control of the issue of stocks and bonds of railroads, the grant to the interstate commerce commission of power to suspend a rate before it goes into operation, to control the classification of freight, etc.—it would not be surprising if senators were to take a malicious pleasure in changing the language of the bill in so many places that the draftsman would find it difficult to recognize his work.

There will be an avalanche of talk. There are many interesting questions to be discussed by senators who have ideas of their own and a copious supply of words to clothe them with. Many days of debate and many pages of the Congressional Record will be used up before the hundred amendments which Senator Cummins has prepared—to say nothing of the amendments of other senators—shall have been voted up or down.

There is one provision of the bill which manifestly will not meet with so favorable a reception as the others. It is the one creating a court of commerce. There are symptoms of opposition to it, especially in the house. Yet it would apparently be a more useful tribunal if its jurisdiction were limited to that granted now to the Circuit courts than the one for hearing customs cases which was created by the tariff act. It is desirable that the creeping, crawling progress of litigation in interstate commerce cases should be expedited. The president believes it would be with a special court.

If it had not been for Senator Aldrich the president's bill would still be in committee. Now it remains to be seen whether he can put it through the senate as he did through the committee.

ASSAULTING THE PRESIDENTIAL STOMACH.

Another ordeal is preparing for the presidential stomach. At the Irish Fellowship club's banquet to Mr. Taft in this city March 17, it is said that he will be called upon to eat gemsbok, captured by Col. Roosevelt in East Africa. Is it one of the duties of the nation's chief executive that he must partake of unusual dishes at the banquets his constituents compel him to attend?

No sooner does the president plan a speechmaking or sightseeing trip to any part of the country, or accept an invitation to be present on any occasion, than his hosts begin to prepare outlandish things for him to eat. He cannot, for instance, visit the south without eating 'possum. Now, no one in the south or anywhere else eats 'possum unless he is on the verge of starvation. It is an unwholesome animal, unfit for the stomach of civilized man. Should he go to Wisconsin, they give him badger; to Minnesota, gopher; to the mountain region, bear or goat; and so on through the animal kingdom. All this time the poor man probably is hoping for good roast beef or some other sensible and nutritious food.

This gemsbok which Col. Roosevelt captured many moons ago in Uganda was slaughtered in Egypt and placed in cold storage, awaiting shipment. It was carried from Uganda around the six cataracts of the Nile, across the desert to Alexandria, before it was killed. Now we leave it to any man, is cold storage antelope a proper dish to set before a president?

WHAT THE NAVY NEEDS MOST.

The naval construction program of the United States should not be governed by jealousy and fear of a single nation. Every rumor of a formidable expansion of the German fleet scares Great Britain into naval outlays it would not otherwise dream of. The United States should not have a nervous attack because of unverified tales of what is going on in Japanese navy yards. It should not be scared into unseasonable expenditures.

It is said that the secretary of the navy favors the authorization of the construction of a battleship with a displacement of 32,000 tons, to cost $18,000,000. A member of the house committee on naval affairs is quoted as saying that it is "unofficially known" that Japan is laying the keels of two vessels approaching that size. If the American program of naval construction is to be based on the assumption that war with Japan is inevitable, it would be better to order the immediate building of several monster dreadnoughts so that there might be one homogeneous squadron. There should also be a large appropriation for the enlargement of dry docks and the deepening of harbors.

What is authoritatively and officially known of Japan at this moment is that it is economizing. Army and navy appropriations have been cut down. The government is making a serious effort to reduce taxation and make life a little easier for the people. If the United States were to shape its policy by that of Japan, it would go in for uncompromising economy.

While it does not follow that the United States should build a 32,000 ton ship because Japan is supposed to be doing so, there is at least one particular in which the lead of Japan—and of some other nations—can profitably be followed. It is to reform the American navy so that the promotion of officers may be more rapid. It is so slow now that men attain battleship and fleet commands on the eve of retiring. They should reach them sooner so that the navy may enjoy longer the benefit of their experience. Legislation to this end was recommended by the president in a special message last week.

Its enactment would do more to make the navy the superb and victorious fighting machine it should be than a lone 32,000 ton ship. There have been already authorized two 26,000 ton ships. Why not strengthen the navy by having two more of the same size?

DO CLOTHES MAKE THE MAN?

Two dispatches in the morning paper bring confusion to the mind of the reader who tries to place his reliance on what he finds in the public prints. In one he is told of an address by a Brooklyn suffragette in which she relates how she brought two east side working girls to a reception at her house and by means of proper costuming passed them off as members of high aristocratic circles. They deported themselves so charmingly that two gentlemen present—one a count and the other the possessor of $2,000,000—asked permission to call on them.

Just as the reader is ready to admit that dress is the only social barrier his eye falls upon the other story in which is related the fact that a Brasilian mine owner, rich beyond the dreams of Pittsburg, disguised himself as a laborer in that city and in such guise won the heart of a wealthy and beautiful young woman, who perhaps would never have given him another thought had she met him in his own proper person.

Does dress make the man and woman or doesn't it? But did the count persist in his admiration of the girl when he discovered that she ordinarily wore shirt waists and worked on the east side? The same suffragette tells how she dressed her cook in silks and satins and had her mingle with her guests. But the cook, although she had a "beautiful figure and made a stunning appearance," deserted the giddy whirl of society and sensibly went back to the kitchen. That was a cruel but perhaps necessary deception. Had her identity been discovered half the bachelors present would have eloped with her.

"THE AMERICAN TONGUE."

At Maywood on Sunday a preacher applied his sermon on the evil of gossip to dissensions in a local charity organization which have been truly characterized as "A Tempest in a Teapot," and although in that particular case the expression "scandalmongers" may have been too harsh, the discourse undoubtedly will have the effect of calling attention to careless and harmful gossip, a failing of too many people, and allied to still more dangerous practices.

There could be no better place or time to refer to Mr. Briggs' Sunday cartoons, "The American Tongue," a series of sermon pictures the truth of which bites deep. In these he depicts in a humorous but none the less convincing way the blighting effect of setting the unruly member wagging upon matters on which its owner is improperly informed, or of jumping at conclusions based upon wrong premises. Charity of judgment, tolerance, and self-respect will keep the tongue in check, but, unfortunately, these are too often lacking in those who indulge in gossip.

DANGER FROM HATPINS.

Whether Ald. Bauler's hatpin ordinance is offered in good faith or in fun, or whether anything comes of it or not, the fact remains that this article of convenience has in many instances become a danger. There are a number of persons in Chicago suffering painful injuries received from hatpins, and the danger is constant in elevators and other places where one is likely to encounter them.

There are a number of devices which, if used, would rob hatpins of their dangerous element. They require but a moment to adjust, and may be made as ornamental as anything else upon the hat. Nearly everything in the vegetable kingdom is worn upon women's hats at the present day, and if nothing better is suggested, a potato might be used to shield the threatening point.

IN A MINOR KEY.

Hampered by Conventionalities.

Washington was crossing the Delaware river at Trenton.

"Of course," he said, "I don't mind standing up in this frail boat and gazing sternly in the direction of the unsuspecting foe, since the artists insist on depicting me in this absurd attitude, but the blithering chumps ought to know better than to paint these blocks of floating ice projecting a foot above the water. Any man with an ounce of gumption knows that the ice in this river isn't eight feet thick!"

Angered by these reflections, he fell upon the Hessians shortly afterward with extreme ferocity.

To the New Champion.

[With the customary apologies.]

Thy name is princely, though no poet's magic
Can make "Ad Wolgast" grace an English rhyme.
Strut thy brief hour; thine end, too, will be tragic,
When some new bruiser knocks thee out of time.

Equal to the Emergency.

"No, Gerald," she said, shaking her lovely head; "I positively will not marry you before next June."

"But your father and mother both," urged the young man, "think——"

"Don't quote papa and mamma; they are thinking only of their plans for the summer. If you change my determination, Gerald, you will have to bring more pressure to bear than that."

Gerald, being a resourceful young man, promptly brought the pressure to bear.

Served Him Right.

"Fling me a line,
Bard of the Time,"
Murmured Humanity, sinking.
Le Gallienne arose
And pulled off his clothes,
And heaved him a ballad on dunking!
—Kansas City Times.

"'Line,'" said the poet,
"Doesn't rhyme with 'time,'"
And possibly this explains why
He stood upright, and
Removed his garments;
For "arose" and "clothes" don't rhyme either!
G. W. T.

MARQUISE DE FONTENOY.

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WHEN the prince of Wales succeeds to the throne he will be able to take up the business of state with a far greater degree of facility than his father was able to do at the time of his accession. For whereas the late Queen Victoria kept her eldest son aloof from all matters of state, retaining the reins of government in her own hands with such a degree of exclusiveness as almost to savor of jealousy, King Edward has for several years been associating his heir apparent in the duties of sovereignty.

Thus the prince of Wales visits Buckingham palace every morning after breakfast, when in town, and remains there for two or three hours, occupying a room adjoining that of his father, the doors being open between them, and attends to all sorts of matters of routine and of detail, relieving the monarch of a large amount of work and trouble. Moreover, in all important matters, frequently in interviews with the ministers, the king calls his son into consultation. So that the prince knows exactly where the king stands in every pending issue and is thoroughly initiated into all his father's views and policies.

It is thanks to this that the king is able to be away from London so much and that he will be able to enjoy his holiday at Biarritz, for which southern French resort he is leaving this week. When he came to the throne he knew virtually nothing of the routine business of his mother's government. He had never been taken into her confidence, and during the first few weeks of his reign was obliged constantly to consult his youngest sister, Princess Henry of Battenberg, who had been her mother's constant companion and associate and who knew far more about her methods of carrying on the duties of sovereignty than himself.

In fact, the confusion was great, especially in view of the sudden accumulation of arrears of business during the few days of the late queen's fatal illness. Indeed, the only matters with which the king was acquainted were the broad outlines of the foreign policy of the government, and this knowledge was entirely due to the fact that Mr. Gladstone, when premier, had taken upon himself, without the approval of the late queen, to give orders that copies of all the important dispatches reaching the foreign office from abroad, as well as copies of the replies thereto, should be transmitted to the then prince of Wales for his information. Queen Victoria did not care to go to the length of putting a stop to the practice, which was kept up by the subsequent administrations. King Edward always was grateful to Mr. Gladstone for this action on his part, and never neglected an opportunity of showing his consideration and warm friendship for the Grand Old Man.

Lord Fingal, the popular but impoverished Irish peer and head of the Irish house of Plunkett, has just inherited a fortune of $80,000 from a perfect stranger, of whose name he had never even heard until notified by the testator's lawyers that he was the legatee. The property was that of the late Joseph Fitzgerald Lynch, who obtained a commission in one of the West Indian regiments away back in the '60s and spent several years on military duty on the Gold Coast until his health broke down, whereupon he resigned his commission, joined the Jesuit order, and was sent out by the latter to New Orleans.

In 1876 he left the order and went back to the west coast of Africa as assistant commissioner, remained some years there, then resigned his appointment and, leaving Africa, spent the remainder of his life partly in Ireland and partly in the United States. He left a younger brother and several other relatives; but when the will came up for probate they were forced to admit that he was perfectly sane and in full possession of his reason when he made the will, while the fact that he was not personally acquainted with Lord Fingal relieved the latter of all imputation of having exercised any undue influence upon him.

Accordingly the will was probated in favor of the earl, to whom the $80,000 comes as a perfect godsend. For, already straitened through the circumstance that most of his revenues were derived from Irish land, his affairs were rendered still more embarrassed by his unfortunate ventures in Australian mining stocks, which forced him for a number of years to let his ancestral home, Killeen castle, in County Meath, to wealthy Americans.

One of the most remarkable members of his family was the late Father William Plunkett, his uncle, and for a long time the heir to his earldom. For the Hon. William Plunkett, after serving for a time in the army, entered the orders of the Roman Catholic church and went out to Australia, where he spent the closing years of his life, doing missionary work in the gold fields and gold mines, acquiring an extraordinary influence and respect among the rough miners.

Father William's other brother was the late Sir Francis Plunkett, long British ambassador at Vienna and married to the daughter of Charles W. Morgan of Philadelphia.

Lady Plunkett survives, and one of her daughters is the wife of Count Fersen Gyldenstolpe, now minister plenipotentiary of Sweden, in Paris.

The Plunketts are supposed to be of Danish origin, but have been settled in Ireland ever since the twelfth century and have been in possession of Killeen castle since the year 1403, when it was obtained from Sir Christopher Plunkett through his marriage to the only child and heiress of Sir Lucas Cusac. Sir Christopher was the first Lord Killeen, and it is from him that the present earl of Fingal is descended in an unbroken line.

Sir Edward Tennant, having built a large picture gallery to his London mansion in Queen Anne's Gate, has provided it with a separate entrance to the street and has announced that the public can on certain days of the week have access to the fine collection of pictures formed by his father, the late Sir Charles Tennant and devoted entirely to the English school of painting. Sir Edward Tennant is a brother of Mrs. Asquith, wife of the premier.

There are a number of these private house collections open to the public in London free of cost, among the most notable being the superb gallery of paintings of the duke of Westminster at Grosvenor house and of the duke of Wellington at Apsley house, the galleries in the latter being filled not only with wonderful Spanish old masters but also with relics of the Iron Duke and of Waterloo. These galleries of the dukes of Westminster and Wellington, of the earl of Ellesmere at Bridgewater house, of the duke of Sutherland at Stafford house, and of several other wealthy peers and great financial magnates in London are more particularly open to the public on Sunday with a view of rendering them accessible to the working classes, and Sir Edward Tennant is adopting the same policy with regard to his new gallery.

The late Sir Richard Wallace showed a similar degree of enlightened liberality with regard to his world famed collections at Hertford house, and his widow, in pursuance of his views, when she died, bequeathed Hertford house and all its contents to the nation, together with a large endowment, for use as an art museum. It is a pity that the private owners of splendid collections of paintings in this country do not follow suit in this matter.

Sir Edward Tennant is rich and is married to one of that lovely trio of daughters of Percy Wyndham, whose famous portrait by Sargent, exhibited at the Royal academy, was happily described by King Edward as "The Three Graces." Sir Edward, like his father before him, derived his wealth from the greatest chemical works in the United kingdom. He has represented Salisbury in parliament for many years and on his father's death found himself the largest individual owner of stock in the London Times. It is understood that he disposed of these holdings to Lord Harmsworth and that it is owing to their acquisition by that peer that the latter is able to exercise a controling influence over "the Thunderer." The holdings of Lord Harmsworth do not represent a majority of the stock, but the largest individual block; the remainder of the stock, including that belonging to the Walter family, being divided up amongst a number of people who are hopelessly at variance with one another and apparently incapable of any united action.

AN AIRSHIP DESTROYER.

An invention in connection with projectiles to be fired at balloons and airships has just been made by Herr Wagner, landlord of the Railway hotel at Ensdetten, near Munster, in Westphalia. The projectile is so constructed that when it leaves the cannon four knives in the casing open, thus giving the missile greater destructive power.—Lokal Anzeiger.

A LINE-O'-TYPE OR TWO.

CROESUS.

I would not be Carnegie,
I would not be John D.
I own a dozen s. f. eggs—
Laid yesterday for me!

OUR editorial neighbor has observed that nobody has yet dug up anything to the discredit of Abou Ben Adhem. Getting warmer, though. There's Abou Bena Conger.

AS to that Ben Adhem story, we are informed by D. F., the well known antiquary, that the angel was just stringing Ben. That list of names she showed him was an alphabetical list.

OUR IMPROPER NUMBER.

Arthur Burrage Farwell: "In the name of the Law and Order league I resolve and protest."

The Rev. Morton Culver Hartsell: "I shall take whatever action is necessary to protect the Douglas Neighborhood club against this proposed outrage."

Lucy Page Gaston: "It is terrible."

The Rev. F. E. Hopkins: "If it is any worse than 'From Hell to Halsted' I shall organize a massmeeting of protest."

The Rev. Melbourne Boynton: "It is incredible."

Mrs. Emily Hill: "I have asked the postal authorities to suppress the paper."

Gen. James E. Stuart: "The improper number may be printed, but it will never leave THE TRIBUNE office. If necessary I will throw a cordon of militia around the building."

Dean Sumner: "My confidence in the discretion of the editor of the Line-o'-Type is so strong that I see no immediate reason for alarm."

Chief Steward: "I have promised police protection."

A MOB paraded under Emperor Bill's window yesterday and shouted a few political demands. Things have not come to that pass in this country. No demonstration has yet been made under Mr. Aldrich's window.

MODERN LULLABY.

Every one who writes a song now does a lullaby,
All about Dear Mother's Arms, the sunset and the sky;
Crooning songs, soft drooping lids, and poppies nodding low;
Sandman throwing, wings o'erspreading, singing soft and low:

Lullaby, O lullaby,
Sleep, my baby dear;
Lullaby, soft lullaby,
Angels hovering near.

Really, tho', the lullabys are in the parlor sung.
Baby's in his little crib with silken curtains hung.
Angels may be hovering near, but mother's far away;
Baby goes to sleep alone in this progressive day.

Way off in the bedroom, with the windows open wide,
Baby's lying in his crib, but no one's at his side.
Howl he may and wail for arms that fold and chairs that squeak;
No one even comes to see, or even takes a peek.

Lullaby, O lullaby, etc.

DOROTHY VAN S. PRINCE.

HAVING discovered an "oleo plot," Judge Landis is now engaged in writing a grand stand play around it.

IS PROHIBITION A SUCCESS?

[Alta Vista (Kas.) Journal.]

The citizens of Moss Springs and vicinity are experiencing no little amount of fright at the present time and such has been the case the past two weeks. The report is circluated that some sort of wild beast is loose in that vicinity, but what it is has not yet been learned, but those who have heard the screams and yells say that it is a catamount. On several occasions the wild beast has came to houses and looked into the houses after night and those that saw the large fiery eyes say that they look as large as a man's head. It begins to scream and make a terrific noise about sun down each evening, and has all the people badly scared in that community.

EDITOR Baldus of the Church Extension Magazine is billed "to tell women some daring things" tomorrow night. This "improper number" feature is becoming popular.

SASSING THE UMPIRE.

Mr. Umpire: Iss it I am the Del Howard of the Correspondents' league? Last week I sent you for publishment what from the grand stand looked like anyhow a three bagger—at least so said Bat Pourhardt, baggageman at the Seam and St. P. Ry. To the waste basket goes it, and instead of me being a coming star, I see it I am put on the organization committee of thiss night shift Comet Reception bunch. Thiss iss dropping down below Louisville.

RUDY POTGEISER.

OHIO Republicans look to Nic Longworth to unite the factions and lead them on to victory. Nic is as popular in Ohio as Nic Coldwater is in Illinois, though not so bright.

LOS LIMERIQUES.

[Being carefully selected, hand picked rhymes from the poetry ranch of Mr. Arthur Dewbanks at Pasadena, Cal.]

II.

A sorrowful maid of La Jolla
Full sadly came down the arroya.
And rhyming these ends,
Believe me, dear friends,
(Unless you are hep) will annolla.

G. B. C.

AMONG those who contemplate the possibility of an elevator strike with alarm are a number of well known mountain climbers. Is there any ordinance to prevent their going up the outside of a skyscraper?

CARE FOR A GOTHIC CASKET?

Horace Keelor, a well known man of this city, who has been in Chicago, taking a course in architectural science, has accepted a position with an undertaking firm.—Richmond (Ind.), Palladium.

ABDUL HAMID purposes to die as poor as Mr. Carnegie, but he is handing over his money to the Turkish exchequer instead of putting it into hero medals and bookless libraries.

VACATION NOTE.

[Old Ed Howe at Sea.]

The drunkard has sobered up, and, now that he has sobered up, he is quite an agreeable man. But while the drunkard has quit drinking, I am smoking as much as ever. Hereafter I shall refrain from criticising drinking men until I am able to quit smoking—a great deal more than is good for me.

"NO man in this country is so high that he is higher than the law," declares Justice Wright. Except his famous namesakes.

BEATS THE PANAMA CANAL.

Messrs. Jiles and Ivy are having farms put in on their land just east of town.—Vega (Tex.) Sentinel.

OUR notion of nothing to get excited over is the Stout trial.

The Gubbletts.

Going down!——

The person who keeps half a dozen other people with nickels ready waiting on the platform of a p. & y. e. car while he gets a bill changed. [Usually he wants to know where to get off and asks for a transfer.]

The blatant one who proclaims in a hotel lobby or smoking compartment: "Well, I'll be back in dear old Noo Yawk on the 'steenth."

BOOK NOTES.—Messrs. Barker Bros. announce the following new books for spring reading, being posthumous works of Baron Muenchausen: "Abed in Bedlam," "Thirty Laps in Lapland," "Watering Water, or Wall Street at a Wink."

ROUND TRIP—NO STOP OVER.

From Wibbleton to Wabbleton is eighteen miles,
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J. H. H.

WITNESSES before Chairman Scott's committee were asked yesterday what they thought of Prof. Willis Moore's standing as a scientist. They "discreetly declined to answer." Polite chaps.

JACKSON PARK society note: Applications for lockers at the Golf Shelter clubhouse should be made today. Mr. Jim McGinnis will assist in receiving the guests, and the weather man has promised to pour.

NO, Sylvia. "colored oleo" has nothing to do with a minstrel show.

CHICAGO led yesterday in the list of best selling hogs. An even ten dollars.

HUMPTY DUMPTY SAT ON A WALL.

Buff Rock: Sitting eggs, 15-50 cents. From the best of winter layers. J. T. Fachlet.—Mt. Vernon (Ia.) Hawkeye.

ANOTHER good town to sleep in is Davenport, Ia.

WHAT are guggenheims? Any relation to staples?

THERE'S a Macedonian cry from Idaho.

GOOD-BY, Feb! Keep the change. B. L. T.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

A MIRIAM, NOT A MOSES.

Chicago, Feb. 24.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—Please correct the error in your issue of Feb. 23, saying that the "No vote, no tax" women want a Moses to lead them out of the wilderness, a Lincoln to rescue them from bondage. It is a mistake. With the Chicago press as our brave knight errant, battling with the dragons of indifference and stupidity, never fear but that our woman's wit will solve the problems that beset our way.

However, it is no secret that we really seek a strong, brave chairwoman, a woman courageous, a skillful pilot to guide us through the shoals of parliamentary laws and rules. But—who knows?—Miriam herself, mayhap, is not far off "to wit what shall be done." And there is no doubt that a modern Miriam would suggest the glorious thought, "Let the manhood of this great, free country be the Moses, the Lincoln of its subject womanhood." Yours in the name of a common citizenship, BELLE SQUIRE.

SALEM WITCHES AND DEATH SENTENCE.

Chicago, Feb. 26.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—I am painfully amused by the statement in yesterday's TRIBUNE of A. R. Goodspeed of Dwight, Ill., who states: "No person ever was burned for witchcraft in Massachusetts." I am puzzled to understand the motive for this denial unless it was to mislead many who are not conversant with the facts relative to the Salem witchcraft and the diabolical treatment "witches" received from the superstitious and unjust magistrates and judges of that black spot in the history of the Old Bay State. The statement might convey the idea that those convicted of being witches were not put to death, because they were not burned. It is true they were not burned, and no informed person will say they were, but they were hanged—a most disgraceful mode to the convict—and the people were permitted to witness the legal murders.

Here are a few historical facts: April 4, 1692, the council of Salem met to try the witches. In June one was hanged; in August, five; in September, eight; and Giles Corey was pressed to death by the placing of heavy weights upon his chest. Among the hanged were the Rev. John Burrows of Wells, George Jacobs Sr., John Proctor, Sarah Good, Rebecca Nurse, and Martha Corey of Salem village; Wilmot Reed of Marble; Sarah Wilds and Mary Easty of Topsfield; Samuel Wardell, Martha Carrier (four children were in prison with her), and Mary Parker of Andover; Alice Parker of Salem township, and others. Who will, 200 years from the events, apologize for those bloody tragedies? "The good that men do lives after them, but the evil is interred with their bones." Not so, in this case. Even the Rev. Cotton Mather, the Rev. Samuel Parris of Salem, and other benighted clergyment were believers in witchcraft.

H. S. PERKINS.

LA FOLLETTE AS A FIGHTER.

Chicago, Feb. 23.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—The following, in a letter to you, occurred some time ago: "Wanted, a fighter for next president." Why not Bob La Follette? The "regulars" have two stock arguments against him: He is a demagogue; he is foolishly radical.

A few years ago he was the only "insurgent" in congress. There was not an "insurgent press." The name of Aldrich as senate boss was unknown outside of Washington. This is now changed and mainly through La Follette's demagogic efforts.

What state has better primary, public utility, and railway control laws than Wisconsin? These laws were fathered by La Follette, and they stand the courts and are in accordance with political science? Were any unfair, would they have stood?

La Follette is an uncompromising fighter. If a law was being urged making railroads pay full taxes instead of, say, one-fourth, why should one compromise on one-half? BADGER.

WANTS "HELLO BOYS" AT THE TELEPHONE OFFICE.

Chicago, Feb. 28.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—In reference to an article in today's TRIBUNE, in which the telephone company asks for a "bar against Cupid," I wish to say that its desire to bar out Cupid and prevent matrimony is ungallant, to say the least, when other measures might, and can be, pursued that will prove quite as effectual without disturbing poor little Cupid.

Just install "hello boys" instead of "hello girls" and we shall have better service, because the boys will have to stay long enough to learn a thing or two about what is due the T. C. as well as what is also due the subscriber; and the "girls" will multiply their engagements—with Cupid as guide, philosopher, and friend—by the sum paid to the "hello boys."

I am a girl myself, but would bar out all women from occupations that require a term service to make them competent. They are thinking more about what John said last night than they are about what are the subscribers' needs.

The masculine mind seems able to live a business life apart from his "courting" hours—or from his domestic bliss; but a woman carries it with her wherever she goes. J. CRAWFORD.

THE JUNCO BIRD HAS ARRIVED.

Chicago, Feb. 26.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—Apropos of the bluebird situation which has developed in your columns during the last two days, let me announce that I saw my (and possibly Chicago's) first junco, on a little side street near Union park, while gazing out of my office window last Saturday afternoon, Feb. 19. These little birds are just as sure and regular harbingers of spring as the bluebird, and I am convinced that it was a junco because it was feeding with sparrows and displayed white tail feathers in flight. SIMPSON S. NICOL.

WHY HE TAKES "THE TRIBUNE."

Russel, Ia., Feb. 8.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—I am today subscribing for your paper through the editor of the local paper here. I took the Record-Herald last year and I wish to state frankly to you my reasons for a change. I believe in the insurgent Republican cause here in the west, or, if necessary, in the Democratic party, as a means of smashing the standpat wing of the Republican party and giving us a little taste of representative government again. I agree with the editors of Everybody's and Collier's that the issue in the coming elections next fall is nothing less than "representative government." Mr. Bryan's much ridiculed motto, "Let the people rule," sounds curiously like that; now doesn't it?

Well, I consider that the Record-Herald is not friendly to representative government as an issue and at the best is only a straddler of the fence, and as I liked the position you have taken on the tariff and the insurgent cause in general I therefore changed papers. Hoping you will keep the fight up.

J. B. ROBB, M. D.

BARBERS AND SUNDAY CLOSING.

Mount Pulaski, Ill., Feb. 17.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—In THE TRIBUNE of Feb. 14 E. W. takes a stand for open barber shops on Sunday. He says there is no law in nature calling for a seventh day of rest, and at the same time he believes in a Sunday. Apparently he believes in a Sunday for himself but not for the barbers. The barbers need a day of rest on Sunday as much as other human beings.

If E. W. would visit some of the many Sunday closing cities and towns in this great country he would find the barbers there just as prosperous and more contented than those in the open Sunday cities and towns, and the public is well served at the same time.

I heartily agree with E. W. in exercising a little common sense and a spirit of brotherhood, and for that reason believe all barber work can be done in six days, and thus give the barbers their much needed Sunday rest. J. A. CHRISTMANN.

WHITE PLAGUE AND SLEEPING CARS.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 16.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—The commendable warfare THE TRIBUNE has made upon the "white plague" is undoubtedly appreciated by the public. Here is an opportunity for more of it.

Not long since I spent the night in a sleeping car between Kansas City and Springfield. The porter seemed to have a pronounced case of tuberculosis. He was emaciated, appeared generally ill, his voice was deep and hoarse, and the poor fellow had a hair raising consumptive cough, with frequent expectorations, which I often heard, much to my dismay, during the night in the closed car. Here was a case of that dreadful "white plague" disease breeding which the company should not be permitted to peddle about the country. I have seen similar cases in these cars.

The sleeping car companies should be compelled to make a thorough, safe, and satisfactory medical examination, at the expense of the company, of every porter or like employé before they are placed in employment in cars where they necessarily come in contact with women and children and the general traveling public. EDWARD L. MERRITT.

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ROOT TELLS WHY INCOME TAX IS O. K.

Writes Letter to New York State Senator Giving Reasons for Urging It.

IS OPPOSED TO HUGHES.

Says Gotham's Benefits from the Country Make Indorsement Imperative.

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 28.—Elihu Root's reasons for advocating the proposed income tax amendment, and his views on the subject, as opposed to those of Gov. Hughes, who publicly has opposed the amendment, were presented to the New York legislature tonight in the form of a letter addressed to State Senator Davenport. Senator Davenport presented the letter to the senate and it also was read in the assembly. The letter is as follows:

"My Dear Senator:—

"Since our conversation last month I have given much consideration to the scope and effect of the proposed income tax amendment to the constitution of the United States.

"Much as I respect the opinion of the governor of the state, I cannot agree with the view expressed in his special message of Jan. 5, and as I advocated in the senate the resolution to submit the proposed amendment, it seems appropriate that I should state my view of its effect.

Takes Up Objection to Amendment.

"The proposed amendment is in these words:

"'The congress shall have power to lay and collect taxes on incomes, from whatever source derived, without apportionment among the several states and without regard to any census or enumeration.'

"The objection made to the amendment is that this will confer upon the national government the power to tax incomes derived from bonds issued by the states or under the authority of the states, and will place the borrowing capacity of the state and its governmental agencies at the mercy of the federal taxing power.

"I do not find in the amendment any such meaning or effect. I do not consider that the amendment in any degree whatever will enlarge the taxing power of the national government or will have any effect except to relieve the exercise of that taxing power from the requirement that the tax shall be apportioned among the several states.

"The effect of the amendment will be, in my view, the same as if it said, 'The United States may lay a tax on incomes without apportioning the tax, and this shall be applicable whatever the source of the income subjected to the tax,' leaving the question 'What incomes are subject to national taxation?' to be determined by the same principles and rules which are now applicable to the determination of that question.

Cannot Divide the Phrases.

"If we were to construe the proposed amendment only by a critical examination of its words, the view upon which the objection is based would be reached by practically cutting the provision in two and reading it as if it read, 'The congress shall have power to lay and collect taxes on incomes from whatever source derived,' without the succeeding words. But we are not at liberty to do this. The amendment consists of a single sentence and the whole of it must be read together. It expresses but a single idea, and that is that the tax to which it relates must be laid and collected without apportionment among the several states and without regard to any census or enumeration, while the words 'from whatever source derived' obviously are introduced to make the exemption from the rule of apportionment comprehensive and applicable to all taxes on incomes.

"We are not left, however, to a mere critical examination of words. This provision, as Justice Bradley said of the constitution in the legal tender cases, is 'to be interpreted in the light of history and of the circumstances of the period in which it was framed.'

Cites Kentucky Decision.

Justice Story said of another clause of the constitution, in Briscoe against the Bank of Kentucky (11 Peters, 332):

"'And I mean to insist that the history of the colonies, before and during the revolution and down to the very time of the adoption of the constitution, constitutes the highest and most authentic evidence to which we can resort to interpret this clause of the instrument; and to disregard it would be to blind ourselves to the practical mischiefs which it was meant to suppress and to forget all the great purposes to which it was to be applied.'

This view necessarily must be applied to the proposed amendment if it be adopted. It will be construed in the light of the judicial and political history which led to the proposal and which appears upon the public records of our government.

"What is that history? The constitution of 1787 conferred upon the national government the power of taxation without any limit whatever except that taxes on exports were prohibited.

"The method of exercising the power, however, was subjected to two limitations. One, that imports, duties, and excises should be uniform; and the other, that direct taxes should be apportioned among the states.

Laws Stood for a Century.

"The apportionment provisions were as follows:

"Article 1, section 2. Representatives and direct taxes shall be apportioned among the several states which may be included within this union according to their respective numbers, etc.' (Amended, but not in this respect, by the fourteenth amendment.)

"Article 1, section 9. No capitation or other direct tax shall be laid, unless in proportion to the census or enumeration before directed to be taken.'

"For more than a hundred years after the adoption of the constitution various tax laws of congress were brought before the courts from time to time upon objections that they imposed direct taxes in violation of the rule of apportionment. The decisions of the courts uniformly sustained these laws, from the first case, in 1796, which sustained an unapportioned tax on carriages (3 Dallas, 171), to the Springer case in 1880, which sustained an unapportioned tax on incomes (102 U. S. 586).

"In the meantime numerous laws were passed and enforced imposing taxes on incomes without apportionment; and a great part of the means for carrying on the civil war was derived from such taxes.

Cites Pollak Case Decision.

"In the year 1895, however, an income tax was included in the Wilson tariff act of that year brought before the Supreme court in the case of Pollok against the Farmers' Loan and Trust company, and in that case the court decided against the law. The case was heard twice. On the first hearing a majority of the court held that a tax on income derived from real estate must be apportioned as a direct tax, because a tax on real estate itself would be direct, and the court divided equally as to whether a tax on income derived from personal property must be apportioned. [157 U. S. 429.]

"On the second hearing of the case the court, by a majority of five to four, held that a tax on income derived from personal property must be considered a direct tax and must be apportioned. [158 U. S. 601.] Both of these decisions was then delivered in one of the minority opinions:

"'But the serious aspect of the present decision is that by a new interpretation of the constitution it so ties the hands of the legislative branch of the government that, without an amendment of that instrument, or action of the court at some future time should return to the old theory of the constitution, incomes cannot subject to taxation (however great the needs or pressing the necessities of the government) either the invested capital property of the country, bonds, stocks, and investments of all kinds, or the income arising from the renting of real estate, or from the yield of personal property, except by the grossly unequal and unjust rule of apportionment among the states. Thus undue and disproportioned burdens are placed upon the many, while the few are safely intrenched behind the rule of apportionment among the states on the basis of responsibility for the support of the government ordained for the protection of the rights of all.'

Nation Crippled in Emergency.

"It was so evidently impossible to collect an income tax by apportionment among the states according to population that the general judgment of the country confirmed the opinion that the decision in the Pollok case practically had taken away from congress a power of vital importance to the general government—a power the exercise of which had, at least in one time of peril, proved essential to the nation's life.

"The attention of the country was called sharply to the need of more government revenue for the first time after the Pollok case by the decrease of customs and internal revenue receipts and the rapidly mounting deficit which followed the financial panic of 1907; and in the extraordinary session of congress which began March 15, 1909, when the revised tariff bill came into the senate, an amendment to the bill was introduced reproducing in substance the old income tax provisions of 1894, which the Supreme court had held to be invalid, both as to income derived from real estate and as to income derived from personal property. The avowed and necessary effect of including such provisions in the new tariff law would be to present again to the Supreme court the same questions which had been decided in the Pollok case, and to challenge a reversal of their decision. Thereupon the resolution for the submission of this amendment was introduced in the senate, and was passed by congress.

Amendment Seeks to Avert Evil.

"The proposal followed the suggestions of the Supreme court in the Pollok case.

"The evil to be remedied was avowedly and manifestly the incapacity of the national government resulting from the decision that income practically could not be taxed when derived either from real estate or from personal property, although it could be taxed when derived from business or occupation.

"The terms of the amendment are apt to cure that evil and to take away from the different classes of income considered by the court a practical immunity from taxation based upon the source from which they were derived.

"There was no question in congress, or in the courts, or in the country, about the taxation of state securities. No one claimed that the inability of the general government to tax them was an evil. The inability to tax them did not arise from the terms of the constitution, but from the fact that, being the necessary instruments of carrying on other and sovereign governments, they were not the proper subject of national taxation, and that, therefore, no provisions of the constitution, however wide the scope of their language, could be held to apply to such securities or to the income from them.

Quotes Cooley on Taxation.

"Judge Cooley, in his work on constitutional law, says:

"'The power to tax, whether by the United States or by the states, is to be construed in the light of, and limited by, the fact that the states and the union are inseparable, and that the constitution contemplates the perpetual maintainance of each with all its constitutional powers, unembarrassed and unimpaired by any action of the other. The taxing power of the federal government does not therefore extend to the means or agencies through, or by, the employment of which, the states perform their essential functions, etc.'

"This rule or construction has been maintained for generations. It is undisputed; it was referred to with approval by the justices who wrote and delivered the opinions in the Pollok case both for and against the judgment. It has been declared again and again by the Supreme court to be not open to question. It is a rule of construction, just as controlling in defining the scope of the proposed amendment as it is in defining the scope of the existing provisions.

State Instrumentalities Exempt.

"Under this rule, from the earliest times of our government, the apparently unlimited taxing power conferred by the terms of the constitution has been held not to apply to the instrumentalities of the state. Under it acts of congress which by their expressed terms appeared to include instrumentalities of state government uniformly have been held not to include them. This uniform, long established, and indisputable rule applied to the construction of our constitution—a rule which has been declared to be essential to the continuance of our dual system of government—forbids that the words of that instrument conferring the power of taxation shall be deemed to apply to anything but the proper subjects of national taxation. Under it we are forbidden to apply the words 'from whatever source derived' in the proposed amendment to any of the instrumentalities of state government.

"It appears, therefore, that no danger to the powers or instrumentalities of the state is to be apprehended from the adoption of the amendments.

New York's Duty Is to Concur.

"It would be cause for regret if the amendment were rejected by the legislature of New York.

"It is said that a large part of any income tax under the amendment would be paid by citizens of New York. That is undoubtedly true, but there is all the more reason why our legislature should take special care to exclude every narrow and selfish motive from influence upon its action and should consider the proposal in a spirit of broad national patriotism and act upon it for the best interests of the whole country.

"The main reason why the citizens of New York will pay so large a part of the tax is that New York City is the chief financial and commercial center of a great country with vast resources and industrial activity. For many years Americans engaged in developing the wealth of all parts of the country have been going to New York to obtain capital and market their securities and to buy their supplies. Thousands of men who have amassed fortunes in all sorts of enterprises in other states have gone to New York to live, because they like the life of the city or because their distant enterprises require representation at the financial center.

Country Furnishes Gotham's Gold.

"The incomes of New York are in a great measure derived from the country at large. A continual stream of wealth sets toward the great city from the mines and manufactories and railroads outside of New York. The United States no longer is a mere group of separate communities, embraced in a political union; it has become a product of organic growth, a vast industrial organization covering and including the whole country; and the relation of New York City to the whole organization of which it is a part is the great source of her wealth and the chief reason why her citizens will pay so great a part of an income tax. We have the wealth because behind the city stands the country. We ought to be willing to share the burdens of a national government in the same proportion in which we share its benefits.

"The circumstances that originally justified the establishment of the rule of apportionment in the constitution long since has passed away. It is conceded universally that its application to existing conditions would be so unjust and inequitable as to be impossible. The power of taxation, which the rule makes it impossible for the nation to exercise, may be again, as it has been once, vital to the preservation of national existence. It would be most unfortunate if the several states of the union were to insist upon the continuance of this unjust and useless limitation upon the necessary powers originally and wisely granted to the national government."

Davenport Talks of Letter.

Senator Davenport said that Mr. Root had taken this rather informal method of communicating his ideas, because he felt it to be the business of the governor rather than of a senator to send a formal message to the legislature.

"Speaking for myself," said Senator Davenport, "I do not regard this difference of view between legal experts, important as it is, as at all fundamental in the final determination of this issue. I think it will turn out to be pretty nearly the universal opinion of the economists and experts in practical finance that the governor's fears are ill-grounded. No harm can come to the credit of state or municipal bonds through the levying of a general income tax."

TRIBUNE PRIZES ATTRACT RECIPES

Forty Cents a Meal? That's Easy, Judging by Menus Offered in Contest.

ARMY RATION AS MODEL.

Commissary Expert Tells Housewives Soldiers Live Like Kings on 21 Cents.

A severe jolt to the cost of living nightmare is about to be administered through THE TRIBUNE'S menu competition. The number of responses flooding in to the menu editor indicate that a wide choice of inexpensive recipes will make dread of the high price of food a thing of the past after their publication begins next Monday in THE TRIBUNE.

Recipes written on club paper show the interest Chicago clubwomen are taking in the contest. Many letters sent in from cities and towns throughout the state offer cherished old family recipes of pioneer days. Menus dating from civil war times, when food was scarce and prices high, have been found and brought down to date for the competition.

Two tables already are piled high with recipes sent in to compete for THE TRIBUNE prizes. Each one is carefully read and placed in order as fast as it comes in.

Terms of the Competition.

The terms of THE TRIBUNE'S menu competition are as follows:

$100—For the best menu, with recipes, for a meal including soup, meat, vegetables, and dessert for four persons, the cost of the foodstuff used not to exceed 40 cents.

$100—For the best menu, with recipes, for a meal including soup, meat, vegetables, and dessert for four persons, the cost of the foodstuff used not to exceed 45 cents.

$100—For the best menu, with recipes, for a meal including soup, meat, vegetables, and dessert for four persons, the cost of the foodstuff used not to exceed 50 cents.

$100—For the best menu, with recipes, for a meal including soup, meat, vegetables, and dessert for four persons, the cost of the foodstuff used not to exceed 55 cents.

$100—For the best menu, with recipes, for a meal including soup, meat, vegetables, and dessert for four persons, the cost of the foodstuff used not to exceed 60 cents.

$100—For the best menu, with recipes, for a meal including soup, meat, vegetables, and dessert for four persons, the cost of the foodstuff used not to exceed 65 cents.

$100—For the best menu, with recipes, for a meal including soup, meat, vegetables, and dessert for four persons, the cost of the foodstuff used not to exceed 70 cents.

Contest Has Time Limit.

All recipes submitted for prizes must be in the possession of THE TRIBUNE not later than Saturday, March 5. The prize winner for the 40 cent meal will be announced in THE TRIBUNE of March 7 and one prize winner will be announced on each day following until March 14. Address recipes to Menu Editor, THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.

Questions concerning the terms of the competition kept three telephone operators busy answering them all day. The one most frequently asked is, "Are bread and butter and tea and coffee to be included in considering the cost of the meals?" The answer is "yes." Every constituent of the meal must be included in figuring up the cost, with the exception of such inconsiderable items as a pinch of salt or a dash of pepper or cinnamon.

Another question frequently asked is, "Must recipes for each dish accompany the menus?" The answer to this also is "yes," as the recipes are the most important part of the matter.

Contestants are requested to follow a regular form in making out their papers. First state price of meal, then write the list of dishes to be served, and follow this with the recipe for each dish, with the cost of the items. The name and address of the contestant should be at the top of the sheet. It is permissible for one person to send in a recipe in competition for each of the seven $100 prizes.

Live Like Kings on 21 Cents.

Valuable advice from the commissary department of the United States, in which economical and tasteful catering is carried to the highest point of efficiency, was received yesterday through Capt. Jack Hayes, chief commissary of the department of the lakes.

"The soldiers are living like kings for 21 cents a day," said Capt. Hayes. "We get food at wholesale prices, but our discount only amounts to from 5 to about 25 per cent on the different articles.

"It ought to be easy for a great variety of dishes to be prepared within the prices named by THE TRIBUNE. Officers' wives who have learned the game know how to prepare meals from the army ration that are as good as those of the mess cooks.

"Our army ration is the best in the world. The reason is that the standard of living in this country is the highest in the world and we have to feed the soldiers accordingly. The constituents of an army meal are good and varied enough for anybody on earth and should be the model for all housekeepers who wish to cater scientifically and economically for their families.

"There is a mess cook and bakers' school at Fort Riley, and Capt. Lucius R. Holbrook, who is in command, saves enough every day out of the 21 cents allowed by the department at present prices to add hot bread or rolls and desserts to the daily menu."

40 Cents a Meal? That's Easy.

The recipes exhibited by Capt. Hayes will be a revelation to people who think it difficult to devise a menu at forty cents for a party of four. Two bills of fare of 21 cent meals enjoyed by the soldiers at Fort Riley follow:

Breakfast—Stewed peaches, corn mush with syrup, fried potatoes, corn beef hash, hot biscuits, butter, coffee.

Dinner—Ox tail soup, lettuce salad, mashed potatoes, lima beans, chicken potpie, cocoa meringue pie, coffee, cheese.

Supper—Potato salad, cheese fondu, liver and bacon with gravy, hot rolls, apple butter, coffee.

Breakfast, baked apples, cereal and milk, French fried potatoes, ham and eggs, corn muffins, coffee.

Dinner—Chicken soup, string bean salad, fried sweet potatoes, roast pork, cake, coffee, cheese.

Supper—Celery salad, creamed potatoes, mutton chops and gravy, muffins, cocoa.

"You notice that they live high at Fort Riley," said Capt. Hayes. "That is because they study how to get the full benefit of the ration.

"It is the same way in homes. Any woman who will provide herself with accurate scales and a liquid measure and who will study the markets and waste nothing can do as well as the soldiers do. I think THE TRIBUNE competition will open the eyes of people who have not learned how to cater scientifically."

DENIES STORY OF "PIPERIZING."

Capt. Wood Corroborates Detective Biddinger About Occupancy of a Private Agency's Headquarters.

Capt. Stephen B. Wood denied yesterday that Detective Sergeant Guy Biddinger had been "piperizing" the police department, when shown a report published several days ago.

He corroborated Sergeant Biddinger's statement that he had been placed in charge of branch detective headquarters in O'Brien's detective agency at 125 La Salle street for the purpose of obtaining information against the bomb throwers.

Capt. Wood resumed command of the detective bureau in the morning after a furlough of twenty days which he passed at New Smyrna, Fla.

FOUND HURT IN HOTEL ROOM.

Mrs. L. A. Murray Taken from La Salle to Hospital Suffering from a Scalp Wound.

Mrs. L. A. Murray of New York is recovering at the Frances Willard hospital after being taken from the Hotel La Salle, where she was found in her room suffering severe pain and disfigured with a three inch scalp wound. Her groans attracted the attention of the floor watchman. Dr. G. E. Richards, the house physician, says the woman undoubtedly had been drinking and evidently hurt herself in a fall.

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The illustration clearly shows the many excellent points of this model; the bust is high and clinging, having sufficient fullness to allow the bust to rest easily within, not pushing it up when seated. The waist tapers gracefully into a rounded outline, while the extreme length of the skirt suppresses the protruding fullness of the back beneath the waist without flattening the outline. The garment specially recommends itself for its flexibility, as it is lightly but closely boned. The fabric is a fine toile batiste of firm texture trimmed at the top with a band of Ottoman silk brocaded ribbon—2 sets of garters. Priced at $13.50.

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The Empire lines of the model at the right make it unusual and most attractive. A piping of satin finish messaline outlines the pointed yoke and around the arms and is used in the oddly cut cuffs and collar. A charming model—$9.75.

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PARK SITE FIGHT OPENED IN COURT

H. R. Platt Argues Against Use of Lake Front for Buildings.

DECISION DUE THIS WEEK

Lawyers Say Question Eventually Will Be Taken to United States Courts.

The south park commissioners' alleged right of "eminent domain" to build the Field museum and the John Crerar library in Grant park was attacked yesterday in Judge McSurely's court by an array of lawyers representing Michigan avenue property owners.

Attorney Henry Russell Platt of Mayer, Meyer, Austrian and Platt, representing A. Montgomery Ward, Levy Mayer, and S. Karpen & Bros. as the defendant property owners, spent the day arguing that the public instead of having rights under the law of eminent domain, as claimed by the park board, really stood to be injured rather than benefitted by the erection of the proposed buildings.

He also made the point that the museum and library were public institutions only in character.

Holds Repeal of Act Illegal.

"They are private corporations," he said, "designed as monuments to their donors. If they are charities it cannot be denied that they are private charities, and such as should be compelled to carry on their work on their own property, like any other private charity."

Mr. Platt denied the right of the state legislature to repeal the special act under which charter was given to the property by any general law.

"The park" he said, "was given by its dedicators with the stipulation that it should forever be free from public buildings. The Supreme court has held that the abutting property owners have the right to have it kept vacant.

"There was no question that this was the law until 1903, when the legislature passed an act authorizing condemnation proceedings. But this law of 1903 cannot repeal the already existing special provision of the charter of the city of Chicago."

Thinks Park Board Will Lose.

Attorney Levy Mayer, who was in court all afternoon, left the arguments in the case to his law partner. After court adjourned he said he did not anticipate trouble in establishing the unsoundness of the "eminent domain" claim.

That the case will have to go to the Supreme court of the United States was admitted by both sides, and doubt was expressed by some of the lawyers as to whether a final decision could be reached in time to enable the city to avail itself of the Field museum.

The park board was represented in the proceedings by Attorneys Edgar B. Tolman, John Barton Payne, and Robert Redfield. As the defendants' argument consumed the entire day they were not given an opportunity to be heard.

A decision is expected late in the week.

RESENT CHARGE OF MINISTER THAT BABIES ARE NEGLECTED.

Individuals Interested in Charity Work Take Exception to Sermon of the Rev. Elmer L. Williams.

Heads of charitable organizations and individuals interested in seeing that the babies of Chicago are properly taken care of yesterday resented the paragraph of the Sunday sermon of the Rev. Elmer L. Williams, pastor of Grace M. E. church, in which he repeated that the dogs of the city were well looked after but that the work of taking care of the babies merely was in the nature of an ambulance sent to the bottom of the cliff after the victims had been thrown over it.

"I know the cliff parable well," said Sherman Kingsley of the United Charities, "but we are not only trying to rescue those which have survived their fall over the cliff but to fence in the cliff top so that no further accidents will happen.

"It is true that the canines of Chicago have been the beneficiaries of several humane bequests, but that it has been at the expense of the babies I do not believe."

Mrs. Russel Tyson, active in the Children's hospital work for a number of years, said:

"I do not believe it is possible for a baby to starve in Chicago, except through ignorance of its parents as to the sources of relief and as to the child's condition. Our hospital might be crowded to the limit, but we would never turn a starving baby away. Immediate relief would be given and the mother directed to another hospital or relief station in case we could not handle the case."

CHILD IDENTIFIES A SWINDLER.

Bogus Check Man's Arrest Comes Through Sending Goods Bought to a Policeman's House.

Thomas Conway was identified by a ten year old girl in Judge McEwen's court yesterday as the man who passed a worthless check on a storekeeper. He was on trial for a similar offense and was rearrested on leaving the court room.

The girl, Vivian Gresger, was in the store of Mrs. Enert, 3844 South Ashland avenue, when a man passed an $18 check in payment for a tub and washboard. They were sent to 6720 South Ashland avenue, the residence of Police Sergeant Patrick Kilty.

The sergeant took the girl to Harrison street station when she picked out the picture of Conway. As he was known to be on trial the girl was taken to court, where the identification was completed.

FORTUNE TO PLUMBER'S WIFE.

Mrs. C. W. Dewey of Aurora Sole Heir to $500,000 Estate Left by Parents.

Mrs. C. W. Dewey, wife of a plumber in Aurora, has fallen heir to a fortune of $500,000 left to her by her parents. The property consists of farm lands in Iowa, Canada, Texas, and Illinois.

Mrs. Dewey was Miss Minnie Ballard, daughter of a southern Illinois farmer. She is sole heir to the estate and will have no legal trouble securing possession. The Deweys have lived in Aurora for ten years. Despite the fact that his wife has fallen into such a fortune, the husband says he will continue at his trade.

Dewey gained notoriety recently by fighting an ordinance compelling master plumbers to pay a license fee. Finally he took out a license in Chicago.

TRIAL OF PASTOR IS DELAYED.

Case of the Rev. Robert M. Kemp, Accused of Mistreating Choirboys, Is Set for March 14.

Evidence against the Rev. Robert Morris Kemp, former rector of St. Chrysostom's Episcopal church, accused of mistreating choir boys, will be presented to a jury in Judge Baldwin's court on March 14. This was determined yesterday when Assistant State's Attorney Benedict J. Short and Attorney John H. S. Lee, representing the clergyman, agreed before Judge Kersten to the date. Judge Kersten was to hear the case, but his calendar was so congested that he transferred it to Judge Baldwin. The accused minister did not appear and his attorney declined to reveal his whereabouts.

ACCUSES TAX BOARD OF FRAUD

People's Gas Co. Sues to Stop Collection of $550,445.90.

MALICE SHOWN, SAYS BILL.

Railroads Not Assessed "Full Value," Another Charge.

Charges that fraud and malice entered into the making of the assessment against the People's Gas Light and Coke company are made against the state board of equalization in a suit filed yesterday on behalf of the gas company by Attorneys Sears, Meagher & Whitney.

The bill asks that County Treasurer John R. Thompson be enjoined from the collection of taxes amounting to $550,445.90, and prays that an assessment of $61,876,797 on the capital stock and franchise of the company be vacated.

The bill attacks the state board, alleging that other gas companies throughout the state were not assessed full value and that this was done for the purpose of relieving some companies from paying their just proportion of the public burden.

Accuses Board of Fraud.

It charges that the state board fixed the assessment "fraudulently, maliciously, and for the purpose of punishing the company."

Charges also are made that the railroads of the state are not assessed at their "full value," but that the state board undervalued railroad property with the intention of relieving railroad companies from payment of their just taxes.

It also is alleged that the board assessed 138 steam railroad companies and determined that the aggregate equalized value of railroad property in the state was $168,648,702.

Edward J. Novak, a member of the state board, when shown the charges, denied that any fraud or malice or thought of punishment had entered into the making of the assessment.

Novak Calls Charges Absurd.

"We took into consideration the fact that the gas company had begun the erection of a large building on Michigan avenue as evidence of a large surplus, and we took into consideration the market price for gas company stock," said Mr. Novak.

"The board made the assessment legally, and I have no fear that it will be set aside. The charges that other companies were not assessed at their full value are absurd. We made a material increase in the assessments of the railroads."

BISHOP MULDOON IN WRECK; SAYS SOME THOUGHT IT FUNNY

Gives Graphic Description of Train Being Derailed, but Declares None of Passengers Lost Self-Control.

It takes more than an ordinary railroad wreck to cause the average American citizen to lose his self-control, according to Bishop P. J. Muldoon, the Roman Catholic prelate who was aboard the Twentieth Century Limited when it was derailed near Olmstead Falls, Ohio, early yesterday morning.

"Some of the passengers even took the situation humorously," he said when he arrived in the city. "Two or three men in the sleepers didn't wake up at all. It was a terrifying sensation just the same.

"First there was a grinding, grating sensation that sent a shiver the length of the car. The next moment we knew we were off the rails. How much farther we were going nobody knew. Men came tumbling out of their berths. It jostled me considerably and I fell out with the rest. None of the passengers lost their self control.

Three persons were slightly injured when the train was derailed by a broken truck on one of the forward cars. All seven cars left the rails. Several hundred feet of track was torn up. One of the injured was Irvin S. Bechelmer, 234 Michigan avenue. His head was bruised.

DIVINITY SCHOOL TEACHER ATTACKS THE DIVORCE LAW.

Dr. M. S. Terry Would Forbid Remarriage of Any Person Whose Former Consort Is Living.

Divorces were denounced by Dr. Milton S. Terry of Garrett Biblical institute yesterday in an address at the Methodist ministers' weekly meeting. He declared divorce to be in opposition not only to the teachings of Jesus Christ but to the laws of nature as well.

"Law must not undermine the foundations of society," he said, "but it does so by presuming to put asunder those whom God hath joined. It is an old sophism that if you cannot stamp out sin the next best way to eradicate it is to legalize it."

He advocated a rigid physical, mental, and moral examination of applicants for marriage license as a means to check degeneracy.

Bishop J. H. Vincent will address the meeting next Monday on "A Week of Ideal Church Life."

TAKEN INTO COURT IN A CHAIR.

Mrs. Homer L. Knight, Accused of Stealing Jewelry, Gets Continuance Owing to Illness.

Carried into court in a chair, Mrs. Homer L. Knight was arraigned before Municipal Judge Crowe at the Harrison street police court yesterday. Owing to her condition the case was continued until March 8. Mrs. Knight is a former nurse, who is suspected of stealing jewelry from the house of Mrs. May L. von Schill, 3256 Groveland avenue. She was arrested in Hot Springs, Ark., several days ago.

REFUSE TO SERVE NEGROES.

Colored Delegates to Denver Missionary Convention Will Not Attend Banquet Because of Complaint.

Denver, Colo., Feb. 28.—There will be no negro delegates among the 1,500 persons who will attend the banquet on Thursday which inaugurates the Denver convention of the laymen's missionary movement. Many negroes accepted invitations to the banquet, but the caterer told the committee he had a contract with his white waiters stipulating that they would not be called upon to serve negroes.

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STILL SEEK NEW LEASE.

Effort Will Be Made to Induce the Orchestra Hall Management to Relent.

Mangasar M. Mangasarian, lecturer for the Independent Religious society, to whom the Orchestra hall management will refuse renewal of the lease expiring June 1, began a campaign yesterday to obtain from wealthy members of the society $100,000 with which to build a temple of its own. He also gave out a statement of his position in the controversy which has resulted in his practical expulsion from the Orchestra hall.

Among the members of the society who have signified their intention to contribute to the building fund are: Lloyd G. Kirkland, an attorney; W. R. Gillette, an insurance broker; J. J. Sweet, a lumberman; H. J. Bohn, publisher of a hotel periodical; James F. Stepina, and D. M. Hillis, real estate brokers, and W. H. Vehon, a wholesale tailor. It is understood these have pledged $5,000 each.

It is reported that large subscriptions have been promised also by Charles F. Gunther, E. Gerstenberg, W. B. Price, and R. J. Gunning.

A friend of Mr. Mangasarian said nearly all of the amount desired had been pledged, but that it was the desire of the society that at least a part of the sum should be raised by general subscription.

Still Hopes for New Lease.

In his statements regarding the controversy, Mr. Mangasarian said he had not given up the hope of inducing the Orchestra hall management to renew the lease.

"Some of our friends and members who are also supporters of the Thomas orchestra," he said, "have notified us that they will use their influence to save Chicago the disgrace of barring an organization from Orchestra hall because of its ideas on religion.

"If we fail in getting a reconsideration, we do not think it would be unreasonable to request at least a year's notice, inasmuch as we were the first tenants the hall had, and have been there continuously for five years.

"But the safest thing for our people to do will be to build for the use of the Independent Religious society a public hall, whose doors will never be slammed in the face of any body of men and women who shall seek its hospitality, as has been done by Orchestra hall.

"If the Turks should refuse halls to missionaries in Europe, Washington would be heard from. Shall America be less tolerant than the civilized world compels the Turks to be?"

Statement by M. Mangasarian.

Part of a statement issued by Mr. Mangasarian under the title, "A Word with the Christian People of Chicago," follows:

"It is publicly admitted by the trustees of Orchestra hall that the objection to our use of this hall for another year is based upon the fact that our religious views are not satisfactory to the 'established churches' of Chicago. In all probability these same people object to our remaining in Chicago, and if they had the power perhaps they would deny to us also the hospitality of the country. Of course the Christians themselves can send missionaries abroad and make war upon such heathen as object to them and their teachings. But that is another matter.

"Now it so happens that if our views on religion are not satisfactory to the churches, neither are the views of the churches satisfactory to us. What is to be done? Shall we try to suppress each other? Would it not be more rational for each to defend the other in the exercise of perfect freedom of thought and belief? Is any religion worth a rag if it fears freedom?

"Even a mild case of persecution would dishonor the twentieth century, and Chicago, the freest metropolis of the west, more than the worst forms of persecution disgraced the middle ages."

Bryan Lathrop, president of the Orchestra Hall company, declined to make any further statement.

CHICAGO GIRL GOES TO JAIL RATHER THAN FACE DISGRACE

Arrested in Boston for Shoplifting, She Refuses to Tell Names of Friends Whom She Was Visiting.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 28.—Rather than have her wealthy Boston friends know of her arrest for shoplifting, a young woman who gave her name as Miss Bella Quimby, and said she was an artist with studios on Madison avenue and Leavenworth street, Chicago, remained in jail from Saturday afternoon until today without bail.

She was fined $10 for stealing less than $10 worth of merchandise from a department store. The woman was richly clad in furs and her gown and hat were of the finest material. She had almost $50 in her purse when arrested. She was told Saturday that if she notified some of her friends they might have her released for $50 cash bail. She replied: "I dare say my friends would put up thousands if it were necessary, but I don't want them to know of this disgrace. Besides, I think the punishment of a few days in jail will be a constant reminder for me the rest of my life when I am tempted to steal."

The woman paid the fine and took a train for the west.

[There is no such location as Madison avenue and Leavenworth street in Chicago. The city directory gives no Miss Bella Quimby.]

Killed While Operating an Elevator.

John Strelow, 25 years old, a freight elevator operator, was killed yesterday in the Mercantile building, 220 Adams street. His head was struck and partly cut off by the counterweight of an adjoining car.

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Bill Charges Twenty-six Railroads Are Trying Unlawfully to Increase Their Rates.

The new code of uniform demurrage rules promulgated by the National Association of Railroad Commissioners and adopted by the railroads of the Chicago demurrage bureau, after being recommended by the interstate commerce commission, will not go into effect today, insofar as they apply to the grain trade of this city.

An injunction granted yesterday by Judge Kohlsaat restrains each of the twenty-six interstate railroads entering Chicago from making use of the provisions of the new schedule of free time allowances to give the grain dealers less time in which to dispose of grain and unload cars at elevators.

The injunction was obtained by the board of trade and eleven grain firms on an ex parte hearing, in which they alleged that the new rules, imposing a charge of $1 per car for each day beyond the expiration of twenty-four hours for reconsignment after inspection and forty-eight hours for unloading are unreasonable, and will greatly derange the business of the Chicago market in competition with other markets.

Claim Act Is Unlawful.

It is alleged that the railroads, in reducing the free time heretofore allowed before demurrage accrued, are "unlawfully conspiring and joining together to unlawfully and indirectly increase their freight rates on grain coming to Chicago."

Under the rules now in effect seventy-two hours' free time is allowed for unloading, beginning with the first 7 a. m. after the car is delivered, and forty-eight hours for reconsignment, beginning at 7 a. m. after the car has been inspected by the state grain inspector.

The arguments on the injunction will be heard on March 15. The grain interests also will file a complaint with the interstate commerce commission asking that an exception to the rules be made applicable to grain cars.

For many years prior to January, 1907, the law allows the free time allowed by the railroads for disposition of grain after inspection was forty-eight hours and for unloading five days after the grain had reached the elevator. In 1907 the roads changed their tariffs, reducing the time at elevators from five days to two days. Protest was made against this radical change and a compromise was reached by which the roads in June amended their tariffs to allow three days.

Get Behind the Recommendation.

The still further reduction is included in a new set of uniform rules to be applied in all parts of the country, formulated last fall by the National Association of Railroad Commissioners. These were recommended by the interstate as well as several state commissions, but not made mandatory.

The grain men now assert that the railroads are making the excuse of getting behind the recommendation to reduce the free time while the association of Railway Commissioners specifically stated that by adopting the rules in their present form the commissions and the carriers would not be stopped from granting additional time on cars of a certain size or loaded with certain classes of freight.

They also assert that the shippers pointed out at the hearings in Washington last fall that no uniform rule could be fitted to varying conditions and do justice to all, and that the rules were not intended to be heard until after the rules had been framed in consultation with the car service agents of the roads.

Protests Made by Grain Men.

Protests were made to the roads by the grain men before the rules were adopted by the Chicago demurrage bureau last month. A conference was asked for but not granted, and the rules were made effective on March 1.

The bill sets up that experience has shown that seventy-two hours for unloading and forty-eight hours for reconsignment are necessary for the proper conduct of the grain business at Chicago; that Chicago is the greatest grain market in the world, and that conditions which might make the new rules satisfactory in other cities do not exist here on account of the large amount of grain moving into the city and the irregularity with which cars may be delivered.

The attitude of the railroads was explained by C. G. Burnham, vice president of the Burlington, who said that the rules of the National Association of Railway Commissioners were adopted for the sake of uniformity and that if exceptions were made on one commodity they would have to be made on another commodity, until there would be a recurrence of the chaotic conditions existing at present under different codes for different sections of the country.

Overcharge Cases Heard by Board.

Interstate Commerce Commissioner E. R. Clark heard evidence during the morning in two cases involving application by shippers for reparation for small overcharges by the railroads. The charge of the Stevens Grocery company against the Grand Rapids and Indiana, Vandalia, and Iron Mountain roads is that 100 bags of beans moving from Grand Rapids, Mich., to Newport, Ark., were routed via St. Louis, taking a rate of 82 cents per hundred pounds, instead of by way of Cairo, Ill., where the combination of local rates would have made 68 cents per hundred.

The other case was that of the Huntsville Foundry and Machine works against the Southern railway.

Orders have just been placed by the Rock Island railway for seventy-one steel passenger cars, which with a recent order will give the road nearly 200 all steel passenger cars.

The controversy over second class party fares between Chicago and the Twin Cities will be the subject of a special meeting this morning of the executive committee of the Western Passenger association.

GAIN BY PENNSYLVANIA LINE.

Annual Report Shows Great Increase in the Gross Earnings Over the Previous Year.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 28.—The annual report of the Pennsylvania railroad company for the year 1909 shows a large increase in the gross earnings as compared with the previous year. The gross revenue reached the big total of $163,564,527, an increase over 1908 of $17,367,656. The operating expenses, including taxes, amounted to $111,906,160, an increase of $10,502,167. The net operating revenue of the company was $37,470,331, an increase of $5,290,139. The net income for last year amounted to $35,159,087, an increase of $6,861,427. The cash dividends paid during the year amounted to $19,177,742.

The annual report of the Pennsylvania company's operating lines west of Pittsburg shows the following: Total operating revenue, $48,631,088; increase, $9,208,191; operating expenses, including taxes, $32,845,947; increase, $5,694,310; net operating revenue of the company, $12,662,822; increase, $2,244,610; net income, $10,901,667; increase, $1,801,667.

The report of the Pittsburg, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis railway company shows the following figures: Total operating revenues, $35,970,833; increase, $4,806,735; operating expenses, including taxes, $23,017,716; increase, $3,291,975; net operating revenue of the company, $9,641,106; increase, $1,504,402; net income, $5,488,640; increase, $1,445,770.

Dies as Result of Injuries.

John Horvach, a laborer, 44 years old, died at the Illinois Steel company's private hospital yesterday, the result of injuries received Feb. 25, when a heavy stone fell on him in the yards of the Universal Portland Cement company in Calumet Harbor.

WHEAT PRICES AT TOP MARK

Highest Level of the Season Follows More Bad Crop News.

CASH SALES AGAIN FACTOR.

Provisions Score Further Advances; Corn and Oats Lag Behind.

Highest prices for the crop were scored for all wheat deliveries yesterday, and last quotations were about the best level of the day. May wheat opened strong and higher, selling up to $1.15, but eased off to $1.14, then again turned strong and sold to $1.15¾@1.16, while July, after being weak early, was lifted to $1.06⅝, and September to $1.04⅜. Closing figures for the day were 1@1¼c to 1¼c higher. Influential in causing the last upturn in values was the heavy and continuous buying of July by Bartlett-Patten. This buying absorbed the floating supply of wheat, and when shorts started to cover there was not much for sale until prices had passed the ups. Outside buying was of fair volume and the undertone of the market was strong.

Cash Operations Cause Buying.

May wheat was active as the result of the unusual operations in the cash market, which caused the shorts a good deal of concern. Large sales were made to millers by the broker that took over the Waterman holdings of No. 1 northern on Saturday, sales for the day being estimated at 500,000 bu. Local millers took most of the wheat, and it is the general impression that the wheat will be moved out of store, leaving public stocks extremely light. The fact that shorts have but little recourse, under present conditions, but to cover their sales in the pit led to a buying movement of important proportions. Stop loss buying orders in the May at $1.15 were numerous. Coupled with the reports of large cash sales were the damage reports in regard to the winter wheat crop, which caused heavy buying of the new crop months.

Statistics Are Not Bullish.

Statistics were not particularly bullish. The visible decreased 312,000 bu, compared to a loss of 1,755,000 bu a year ago, and world's shipments were 10,43,000 bu, or nearly as much as a year ago, while stocks on passage increased 2,896,000 bu. Supplies afloat and at leading European centers are liberal and export bids are way out of line as a rule. Primary receipts were 974,000 bu, against 926,000 bu a year ago, and the movement to all points is liberal. Cash trade is fair in the southwest, but prices were not much changed, notwithstanding the advance in futures. Country shipments were reported small in winter wheat territory, but the arrivals continue to be seasonably large. Local receipts were 18 cars, with 54 cars expected today.

Crop Reports Still Factors.

The majority of reports from all parts of the winter wheat belt continue to indicate damage of a more or less serious character. A few messages from the southwest said that the damage had been overestimated, but this was not the kind of news the crowd wanted, so it was ignored. In addition to the buying by the Bartlett-Patten house there was considerable bought by Chapin, Colvin, Shearson-Hammill, Logan-Bryan, and Knight-McDougal. Liverpool closed ½@⅝d higher after opening lower. Nebraska sold 20,000 bu No. 2 hard wheat to come to Chicago. Minneapolis wheat stocks increased 125,000 bu for two days. Clearances of wheat and flour for the day were 73,000 bu.

Wheat Strength Helps Corn.

Strength in wheat was the principal bull factor in corn and caused a little firmer tone towards the close. Final prices were ⅝@⅞c higher than Saturday. Weather conditions were fairly favorable, but country offerings were less liberal, and, while the cash demand was not urgent, shorts were a little bit nervous and inclined to cover. Offerings became less heavy and commission houses were fair buyers. World's shipments were 1,479,000 bu, being comparatively light. Liverpool was unchanged. The visible increased 1,186,000 bu, to 13,480,000 bu, or about twice as much as a year ago. Cash prices were ½@¾c lower at the close. Shipping sales footed up 105,000 bu. Liverpool prices were unchanged. Nye-Jenks, Logan, and Bartlett-Patten were the leading sellers. Speculative trade on the whole was quiet and without much feature. Receipts here were 310 cars, with 655 cars expected today.

Quiet Trade in Oats Mart.

Oats were quiet and without much of any feature. Offerings were light, but at the same time there was not much demand from commission houses. Late strength in other cereals helped a little and final quotations were unchanged to ⅛@¼c higher. Primary receipts were 697,000 bu, against 803,000 bu a year ago. Receipts here, 118 cars, with 329 cars estimated for Tuesday. Cash sales were 180,000, with sample prices ⅛c off to ⅛c up. The visible supply decreased 59,000 bu.

Big Upturn in Hog Product.

Much higher prices were scored for provisions. Hogs sold much higher and this was the main influence in curtailing pit offerings. Milwaukee Cudahy interests were credited with selling product on the advance, but John Cudahy and local interests were on the buying side. Pork finished 35c higher; lard was up 10@12½c, and ribs 10c higher. Receipts of hogs in the west were 72,100, against 105,000 a year ago. Local run was 35,000, against 42,000 expected, and hogs at the yards sold close to the $10.00 mark. Liverpool quotations were 1s up on hams and backs and 6d up for lard and Cumberland sides. Receipts of product here were 20 cars, with shipments of 119 cars. Exports last week were much smaller than a year ago.

Rye Supplies Are Larger.

Rye was in larger supply and easier. May closed nominally at 80c. No. 2 was quoted 79½@80¼c; No. 3, 73@78c, and No. 4, 65@73c. Receipts were estimated at 7 cars.

Barley held firm. Malting was quoted, 66@73c; mixing, 62@63½c, and screenings, 40@ 63c. Receipts were estimated at 116 cars.

Flaxseed was unchanged. No. 1 northwest cash closed at $2.21 and No. 1 southwestern, $2.11. Receipts, none.

Timothy seed was quiet. March was offered at $4.05. Country lots, $2.50@3.50. Clover seed was 10c higher. March closed at $13.00 nominal. Country lots, $9.00@13.00.

Range of Active Futures.

WHEAT.

	Opening	High.	Low.	Closing Feb. 28.	Closing Feb. 26.
May	1.14¾-¾	1.15¾-16	1.14¾	1.15⅛	1.14½
July	1.07¼	1.08⅜	1.07	1.06⅝	1.07⅛-¼
Sept	1.03⅝-¾	1.04⅜	1.03	1.04⅛	1.03⅝-¾

CORN.

May	65¾	66¼	65¼-⅜	66¼	65¼
July	67¼	67¾	67	67¾-¼	67
Sept	67⅞	68	67¼-½	68	67⅞

OATS.

May	47	47¼	46¾-7	47¼	47-¼
July	44¼-¼	44⅝	44	44¾	44¼-½
Sept	41	41¼-½	40¾-1	41¾	41¼

MESS PORK.

May	24.40	24.75	24.40	24.55	24.20
July	24.50	24.70	24.42	24.55	24.20

LARD.

May	13.15	13.20	13.12½	13.20	13.07½
July	13.15	13.27½	13.12½	13.17½	13.07½
Sept	13.15	13.30	13.15	13.20	13.10

SHORT RIBS.

May	12.85	12.97½	12.80	12.87½	12.77½
July	12.82½	12.92½	12.77½	12.85	12.75

Prices at Outside Markets.

WHEAT.

	May			July		
	High.	Low.	Close.	High.	Low.	Close.
New York	1.17⅛	1.12⅝	1.16½	1.16½	1.12	1.15⅝
St. Louis	1.14⅜	1.13⅜	1.14⅜	1.06½	1.05⅜	1.06⅜
Winnipeg	.10[illegible]	1.09⅛	1.09⅞	1.09⅛	1.07⅞	1.08
Duluth	1.13⅜	1.12⅜	1.13⅜	1.13⅜	1.12⅜	1.13⅜
Minneapolis	1.15	1.13⅛	1.15	1.15	1.13⅞	1.15
Kas. City	1.09½	1.08¾	1.09½	1.08¾	1.01⅝	1.08¾
Toledo	1.12⅝	1.12⅛	1.12⅝	1.11	1.10¾	1.11
Baltimore	1.23	1.21¾	1.23			

CORN.

New York	75	74⅝	75	76⅝	76¼	76⅝
St. Louis	69¼	68¾	69¼	67⅝	67⅛	67⅝
Kas. City	64½	63¾	64½	65¼	64⅝	65¼

Grain Inspection.

	No. 2 or better.	Standard.	No. 3.	Grades.	Total.
Winter wheat	5	...	8	...	13
Spring wheat	...	...	...	...	...
Velvet chaff	...	...	...	1	1
Pacific wheat	1	...	...	...	1
Mixed wheat	...	...	...	...	...
Durum wheat	...	...	...	...	...
Corn	...	...	21	299	320
Oats	11	55	52	10	118
Barley	1	...	19	38	58
Totals	18	55	105	343	501

Inspected out from store: Wheat—No. 1 northern, 16,765 bu. Oats—Standard, 9,322 bu. Loaded from unlicensed elevators: Wheat—No. 2 hard, 3 cars; No. 2 red, 41 cars; No. 1 northern, 9 car; No. 2 red Pacific, 1 car; No. 1 durum, 1 car. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 8 cars; No. 3 yellow, 68 cars; No. 2 white, 7 cars; No. 3 white, 14 cars; No. 2 mixed, 23 cars; No. 3 mixed, 37 cars; No. 4 mixed, 12 cars; sample grade mixed, 19 cars. Oats—No. 3 white, shipped, 10 cars; No. 2 white, 1 car; No. 3 white, 3 cars; standard, 9 cars; No. 2 mixed 2 cars; purified oats and barley, 16 cars.

Daily Indemnities.

	Ups			Downs		
Wheat—	High.	Low.	Close.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	1.17	1.15⅝	1.16⅝	1.15⅝	1.14⅝	1.15
July	1.06⅜	1.06⅜	1.06⅜	1.07⅛	1.07⅛	1.07⅛
Corn—						
May	66¼	66⅛	66¼	66	65¾	66
July	67⅝	67⅜	67⅝	67¼	67¼	67¼
Oats—						
May	47¾	47¼	47¾	47¼	47⅛	47⅜

Weekly Indemnities.

Wheat—	Ups.	Downs.	—Next week—
May	1.15⅝	1.13¼	
July	1.11½	1.06⅝	
Corn—			
May	67¼	66¾	
July	68¾	68¼	
Oats—			
May	47¾	46¾	
July	44¾	45¼	

Cash Grain Transactions.

FLOUR—Firm; winter wheat, patent, jute, $5.70@5.80; straight, jute, $5.40@5.50; clear, jute, $4.80@5.00; spring wheat, special brands, $6.40@6.60; Minnesota, hard patent, jute, $5.20@5.35; Minnesota hard, straight, export bags, $5.30@5.40; first clears, $4.00@4.30; second clears, $3.50@3.70; low grades, $3.20@3.40; rye flour, white, a bri, jute, $3.80@3.90; dark, a bri, $3.60@3.70.

WINTER WHEAT—Steady. Sales in store and to go—Mixed iutio, 40,000 bu on p. c. Local and transmississippi billing—No. 3 red, $1.18@1.21; No. 2 hard, $1.15¾@1.16. Illinois proportional—No. 4 red, $1.20; No. 3 red, $1.18@1.20; No. 1 red, $1.27. No. 3 hard, $1.15; No. 2 hard, $1.15¾@1.15⅝.

SPRING WHEAT—Steady. Sales in store and to go—No. 1 northern, 500,000 bu on p. c. Local and transmississippi billing—No. 4, $1.13; No. 3, $1.14@1.15¼.

CORN—¾@1¼c lower. Sales in store and to go—Mixed iutio, 100,000 bu on p. c. Local and transmississippi billing—Sample grade, 65¾c; No. 4, 65¼@65c; No. 4 yellow, 66@66c; No. 3, 62¼c; No. 2 yellow, 62¼@62¾c; No. 4 white, 66¼@66¾c; No. 3 white, 62¼@62¾c; cars, 58c. Illinois proportional billing—Sample grade, 62½@63c; No. 4, 57@58½c; No. 3 yellow, 63@66½c; No. 3, 62@62¼c; No. 2 yellow, 62¼@62¾c; No. 2 yellow, 66c; No. 4 white, 58¼@59½c; No. 3 white, 62¼@62¾c.

OATS—¼c higher to ¼c lower. Sales in store and to go—White clipped, 150,000 bu on p. t. Sales on track and free on board—Sample grade, 46¾@ 47¼c; No. 4, 45¾c; No. 4 white, 44@46¾c; No. 3, 46c; No. 3 white, 46¼@47¼c; standard, 47¼@48c; No. 2, 47c; No. 2 white, 48¼@48¾c. Illinois proportional billing—No. 4 white, 46@46¾c; No. 3 white, 47¼@47¾c; standard, 47¼@47¾c; No. 2 white, 47¾@48½c.

RYE—Easy. Sales local and transmississippi billing: No. 2, 80¼c; No. 3, 77c.

BARLEY—Unchanged. Sales free on board or switched: Screenings, 41@63c; barley, 62@73c.

HOG PRODUCTS—Strong. Cash lots, mess pork, $24.50@24.75; lard, $12.62½; and short ribs, $12.37½@12.87½, according to weight.

BEEF AND PROVISIONS—Quiet and steady. Prices quotable as follows: Beef hams, $21.00@21.50; extra mess beef, $12.75@13.00; plate beef, $13.50@ 14.00; extra plate beef, $14.25@14.50. Tallow steady at 6@6¼c for city, 6¼@6⅜c for prime packers, 6¾@7c for No. 1 do, and 6¼@6¾c for No. 2 do. 7@7¼c for No. 1 renderers, 1¼@7¼c for choice country, and 6¼@6¾c for No. 2 do. Oleostearine in fair demand and steady at 15¾@16c. Oleo oil quiet at 12¾@13½c for extra.

GREASES—Steady at 6¼@6½c for brown, 6¾@ 6¾c for yellow, 6¾@6¾c for house, 7¼@7¼c for B white, 7¼@7¾c for A white, and 8@8¼c for choice white.

COOPERAGE—Steady. Ash pork brls, 77½@ 82½c; oak pork brls, 90@92¼c; and lard tierces, $1.66@1.77½.

Daily Cash Receipts.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.	Barley.	Rye.
Chicago	18	310	118	116	3
Minneapolis	125	125	125	125	125
Duluth	125	125	125	125	125
Milwaukee	125	125	125	125	125
Toledo	125	125	125	125	125
Detroit	125	125	125	125	125
Kansas City	125	125	125	125	125
St. Louis	125	125	125	125	125
Peoria	125	125	125	125	125

Shipments.

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INTERESTING TRADE GOSSIP ON CHANGE.

In October last Judge David P. Dyer of the federal Circuit court, St. Louis, on petition of the Chicago Board of Trade, issued injunction restraining the Merchants' Stock and Grain company of St. Louis from making use of the continuous quotations of the Chicago Board of Trade. Evidence of contempt of the court's order by continued use of the quotations was presented to the court, and on Feb. 23 the court fined the Merchants' Stock and Grain company $1,000. Francis J. Miner $2,000 and Patrick J. Stephens $500. Miner is owner and manager of the company and Stephens the chief operator and Miner's right hand man. Three-quarters of these fines are to be paid to the Chicago Board of Trade to reimburse it for its expense in securing the evidence of violation of the court's order. The Merchants' Stock and Grain company had some 500 offices or correspondents in cities as far east as Pittsburg, Pa., and west to Topeka, Kas., and Hastings, Neb., and has accepted orders for the purchase or sale of stocks, grain, and provisions, but are not members of any legitimate board of trade or exchange. This company is the largest of its kind in the United States. The board's right to its quotations has been secured by a decision of the United States Supreme court. A second offense against the injunction will mean a jail sentence.

Active trading was the rule in the local cash wheat market, and there were large transactions. J. S. Templeton, who bought the Waterman holdings of No. 1 northern here Saturday, about 1,000,000 bu, was very sickening with milling interests here and at outside points. E. A. Eckhart, the local miller, bought at least 250,000 bu of the No. 1 northern and the Star and Crescent Milling company was credited with taking some of the wheat, while there were unconfirmed reports that a Detroit miller had taken about 125,000 bu. In regard to the prices paid for the wheat there was nothing given out, by the principals. Recently No. 1 northern has sold from 2½@3c over May in store, and although there were some stories in circulation to the effect that the wheat had been put on the bargain counter and was being sold at relatively lower prices than recently quoted, there was no verification of these rumors, and it was the general impression that prices were at about the recent market quotations. In addition to the transactions in No. 1 northern there was 20,000 bu Nebraska hard wheat bought to arrive here.

Wheat traders were nervous over the fact that active steps are being taken to market the stock of cash wheat in store here. Local traders were inclined to ignore the big sale of No. 1 northern made Saturday early, but gradually they became more anxious as the rumor gained currency that the wheat had been sold on the stipulation it was to be moved out of store, and would reduce local stocks to a small amount. Nebraska was also offering a little wheat here and the southwest was said to be asking for bids, it is not generally understood that much wheat at outside points is available to come here, and from present indications there will be little wheat to be on the Chicago market next May than for a long time. Mills will take most of the present stocks undoubtedly. They also control practically all the wheat at outside markets, and are in a position to dictate prices so far as old wheat is concerned. With new crop futures booming, farmers will not be encouraged to sell old wheat.

The attitude of the Bartlett-Patten house in regard to July wheat was considered the most important influence in the market yesterday. While it was understood the members of the firm were not talking very bullish at this level, the concern was a consistent buyer of July and September wheat almost from the very start, and it was estimated its purchases were in the neighborhood of 2,500,000 bu, and possibly more, practically all July. Early the house sold May. The continued buying of July was an advertising to get enough for the crowd, who followed the lead without much question. Crop damage news, while generally believed to be exaggerated, brought in considerable outside business, while local traders were not inclined to fight the advance with such a congested appearance in the May and with July selling at such a big discount under the nearby month.

"The last few weeks I have traveled in southwestern and western Missouri and in eastern Kansas," said George B. Ellis, secretary of the Missouri state board of agriculture. "From talks with farmers I believe the wheat has been damaged greatly by upheaving. Some fields have been damaged as much as 25 per cent. The heaviest loss has been on clay soil. The bottom lands have not suffered much, as the soil is sandy and drains easily. I am of opinion that wheat in Missouri has been damaged much by the excessive amount of heat and cold this winter and by the freezing and thawing."

A Toledo message to Hulburd-Warren-Chandler said: "D. W. Camp Jr. of the Toledo Grain and Milling company, Toledo, who has just returned from a southern business trip, stating as far south as Jacksonville, Fla., reports that he was unable to sell flour at any price—that the largest flour brokers in Atlanta and other southern cities report to him that they have never seen stocks of flour so large as they are at the present time. All of the largest wholesale grocers are piling flour in their cellars, which was purchased some time ago, and will not be in the market for some time to come."

Ware-Leland in special monthly letter: "There is no concentrated long interest in wheat, as was the case a year ago. At the same time the market displays an exceedingly steady tone, and, if the damage reports are verified, there is a likelihood of a still further sharp upturn. We consider the situation as a sound one, and, even eliminating a portion of the reports of damage, we incline to the belief that consumption is so fast overtaking the production in this country that any material decline will meet with absorbing buying power."

World's shipments of grain last week, with comparisons, follow:

Wheat:	Last week.	Prev. week.	Last year.
American	1,450,000	2,464,000	2,600,000
Russian	3,552,000	3,046,000	1,336,000
Danubian	376,000	400,000	360,000
Indian	112,000	320,000	...
Argentine	2,560,000	2,432,000	4,976,000
Australian	2,104,000	2,568,000	1,568,000
Aus.-Hungarian	...	...	8,000
Chili-N. Africa	48,000	64,000	24,000
Totals	10,422,000	11,344,000	10,928,000
Corn:			
American	731,000	704,000	666,000
Russian	211,000	288,000	472,000
Danubian	358,000	466,000	484,000
Argentine	179,000	232,000	...
Totals	1,479,000	1,805,000	1,772,000

Stocks of contract grain in local public elevators with comparisons follow:

Wheat—	This week.	Last week.	Last yr.
No. 1 hard	...	...	10,565
No. 2 hard	716,726	709,513	2,161,230
No. 1 red	...	...	18,431
No. 2 red	42,421	42,421	1,448,142
No. 1 northern	1,461,773	1,513,040	283,550
Totals	2,220,920	2,265,385	3,962,518
Corn	3,158,973	3,645,443	1,940,678
Oats	1,601,824	1,728,306	352,128

The United States visible supply of wheat decreased 312,000

fore the announced advance in prices goes
ct. Linens also met with a broad inquiry
e was a steady call for dress ginghams,
nd fancy cottons, bleached goods, and do-

YORK, Feb. 28.—There has been some
n prices on cotton goods, notably on the
qualities. Second hands have been re-
print cloth yarn goods at lower figures.
ilfs are being advised by selling agents to
the output until the market settles. Dress
alesmen returning from the west report
slow on future delivery merchandise.
trade holds steady, but without any notable
to the demand.

Cotton.

ORLEANS, La., Feb. 28.—COTTON—Spot
⅛c higher. Sales on the spot, 2,600 bales;
e, 170; hedged cotton, 400. Low ordinary,
nominal; ordinary, 11¼c nominal; good
, 13 5-16c; strict good ordinary, 13⅝c; low
g, 14 3-16c; strict low middling, 14½c;
g, 14¾c; strict middling, 14 15-16c; good
e, 15¼c; strict good middling, 15 5-16c;
ge, fair 15 7-16c; middling, fair to fair,
; fair, 15 5-16c nominal. Receipts, 5,000
tocks, 180,700. Futures closed steady.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
	14.51	14.71	14.49	14.69
	14.69	14.86	14.62	14.79
	14.76	14.91	14.72	14.84
	13.97	14.03	14.01	14.08
ber		13.06	13.06	13.13
	12.52	12.61	12.52	12.53
ber	12.34	12.44	12.36	12.36

Bid.

RPOOL Feb. 28.—Closing: COTTON—Spot,
ate business done; prices 8 points higher;
an middling, fair, 8.46c; good middling,
middling, 8.00c; low, middling, 7.60c; good
ary, 7.64c; ordinary, 7.39c. The sales of the
re 7,000 bales, of which 500 were for specula-
d export and included 6,300 American. Re-
5,000 bales, including 4,900 American.
closed steady; March, 7.78c; March-April,
; April-May, 7.69¼c; May-June, 7.66c; June-
7.61¼c; July-August, 7.56½c; August-Sep-
, 7.27c; September-October, 6.82c; October-
ber, 6.62c; November-December, 6.32¼c;
ber-January, 6.50½c; January-February,
February-March, 6.50c.

W YORK, Feb. 28.—COTTON—Spot closed
20 points advance; middling uplands, 14.95c;
ng gulf, 15.20c; sales, 400 bales. Futures
steady. Quotations:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Previous close.
	14.45	14.53	14.45	14.53	14.49
	14.53	14.81	14.53	14.73	14.47
	14.80	14.49	14.30	14.45	14.17
	13.55	13.80	13.50	13.80	13.67
ber	12.90	13.00	12.90	12.97	12.82
	12.46	12.59	12.44	12.55	12.42
ber	12.36	12.40	12.33	12.41	12.30

Oils.

CAGO, Feb. 28.—OILS—Standard white, 150,
perfection, 150, 10¾c; headlight, 175, 11¼c;
t, 12c; elaine, 17¼c; Michigan test, w. w.,
p. w., 10¼c; gasoline, 14c; machine gaso-
, 14c; linseed oil, raw, single brls, 76c; 5 brl
, 78c; boiled, single brls, 77c; 5 brl lots, 76c;
ine, 64¼c; summer black oil, 7¾c; winter
oil, 6c. These quotations apply on brl lots

CITY, Pa., Feb. 28.—Credit balances, $1.40,
294,588 brls; average, 131,318 brls. Ship-
414,625 brls; average, 160,743 brls.
LEDO, O., Feb. 28.—OIL—North Lima, 64c;
Lima, 79c; Indiana, 79c.

Cottonseed Oil.

W YORK, Feb. 28.—COTTONSEED OIL—Ir-
ar; prime crude southeast, $6.27 nominal;
summer yellow, $7.20@7.50; March, $7.50@
May, $7.39@7.38; July, $7.44@7.45; Septem-
, $7.41@7.45. PETROLEUM—Steady.

W ORLEANS, La., Feb. 28.—COTTONSEED
—Prime, refined, in barrels, per lb, 7.31c.

Resin, Turpentine.

VANNAH, Ga., Feb. 28.—SPIRITS TURPEN-
E—Quiet, 59½c; receipts, 34 casks; shipments,
casks; stocks, 10,255 casks. ROSIN—Firm;
29 brls; receipts, 632 brls; shipments, 705
stocks, 124,443 brls. Quote: B, $4.25; D, $4.40;
$4.45; F, $4.60@4.62½; G, $4.65; H, $4.70; I,
K, $5.80; M, $6.35; N, $6.50; W G, $6.85; W
$7.00.

LMINGTON, N. C., Feb. 28.—SPIRITS TUR-
TINE—Steady, 58½c; receipts, 4 casks. RESIN
dy, $3.90; receipts, 110 brls. TAR—Firm;
receipts, 129 brls. CRUDE TURPENTINE
dy, $3.00, $4.50, and $5.75; receipts, 23

HARLESTON, S. C., Feb. 28.—TURPENTINE
m, 59½c. ROSIN—Firm. Quote: A, B, C,
D, $4.40; E, $4.45; F, $4.60; G, $4.62½; H,
⅞; I, $4.80; K, $5.80; M, $6.35; N, $6.55; W G,
; W W, $7.00.

W YORK, Feb. 28.—ROSIN—Quiet. TUR-
TINE—Quiet.

Metals.

W YORK, Feb. 28.—COPPER—The market
standard on the New York metal exchange was
today, with spot and all deliveries up to the
of may closing at $12.87½@13.12½. The Lon-
market closed steady, with spot quoted at £59
and futures at £60 7s 6d. Arrivals were re-
ted at New York of 85 tons; exports, according
the day's custom house returns, were 1,747
s, making 23,013 tons so far this month. Local
lers quote lake copper at $13.50@13.75; elec-
tic at $13.25@13.50; and casting at $13.00@
. TIN—Weak, with spot and February clos-
at $32.62½@32.87½; March, April, May, and
e at $32.50@32.75. The London market was
k, with spot quoted at £149 and futures at
10s. LEAD—Steady, with spot quoted at
0@4.70 New York, $4.45@4.50 East St. Louis.
e London market was a shade lower at £12 5s 6d.
ELTER—Firm, with spot quoted at $5.70@5.80
w York; $5.50@5.65 East St. Louis. The Lon-
market was unchanged at £23 2s 6d. IRON—
changed at 51s 3d for Cleveland warrants in
ndon. Locally no change was reported. No. 1
market was nominal, with $18.50@18.75; No. 2,
nary, 1 southern and No. 1 southern soft,
5.50@18.75.

T. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 28.—LEAD—Firm; $4.50.
ELTER—Higher; $5.55.

Antimony.

W YORK, Feb. 28.—[Special.]—ANTIMONY
No improvement in demand. Market still de-
ssed by freer offerings of cheaper brands.
ose: $6.50 for Cookson's, $8.25@8.37½ for Hal-
t's, and $7.37½@7.62½ for ordinary brands.
ondon market quoted at £29 10s for Hallett's and
0 for ordinary brands.

Whisky.

CHICAGO, Feb. 28.—Steady on a basis of $1.29
r finished goods.

SWOPE GRAND JURY HEARING DELAYS HYDE SLANDER SUIT.

Testimony Before Inquisitorial Body Prevents Witness from Appearing in the Notorial Court.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 28.—Because the failure of the grand jury to complete its examination of Mrs. Logan O. Swope she did not appear before the Notorial court today to give her deposition in Dr. B. C. Hyde's slander suit.

Besides Mrs. Swope, Miss Anne Houlehan and Miss Lucy Lee Swope were witnesses at the grand jury investigation today. Miss Houlehan is the nurse who during the typhoid fever epidemic led the walkout at the Swope home on account of the presence of Dr. Hyde. Her testimony is regarded as important, inasmuch as she was positive in her assertion upon leaving the house that murder was being done.

Prosecutor Virgil Conkling said today he believed the jury would vote on indictments about Friday or Saturday.

LAKE SHORE ROAD FINED $1,000

Pleads Guilty to Charge of Accepting Concession—First Case Under Elkins Law.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 28.—The first indictment under the Elkins railroad law in which a common carrier was accused of accepting a concession resulted today in a plea of guilty by the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern railroad. Judge Sater of the United States District court fined the corporation $1,000, the minimum penalty.

The case rested upon a shipment of ties from Ozone, Tenn., to Bryan, O. The ties were transshipped at Cincinnati over the Cincinnati Northern railroad, a part of the New York Central system, to which the defendant road also belongs.

It is alleged that to escape a high local rate the timbers were billed through to Chicago, although there was no intention of sending them beyond Bryan.

GRAIN DEALER IS FINED $2,000.

St. Louisan Charged with Violating Injunction Restraining Him from Using Chicago Quotations.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 28.—Francis J. Minor, head of the Merchants' Stock and Grain company, today was fined $2,000 by Judge Dyer in the United States District court. Minor was charged with violating a temporary injunction restraining him from using the Chicago board of trade quotations. A fine of $1,000 also was assessed against the company and $500 against Patrick Stephens, an associate of Minor.

RECOVERY IN STOCK MARKET

Early Trading Slow Because of Tobacco Case Uncertainty.

CUBAN BONDS SNAPPED UP.

New York Offering of Securities Largely Oversubscribed.

[NEW YORK TIMES FINANCIAL LEADER.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—[Special.]—The unwillingness of traders to take chances on a decision by the Supreme court today in the American Tobacco case reduced almost to a negligible volume the trading at the forenoon session. When Washington dispatches announced that no decision would be forthcoming the market became more active and, recovering from the declines induced by the neglect in the morning, prices rose steadily to the end of the day, when quotations represented a recovery of pratically all the loss sustained in the trading of Friday and Saturday of last week.

Cuban Bonds Oversubscribed.

The betterment which has been going forward slowly in the investment situation was typified by the success of the offering of the Cuban 5½ per cent bonds in this city, where the securities were largely oversubscribed—a fact also true of the offering of a portion of the same issue in London by the English house of bankers which brought out the bonds here.

Interest attached to the announcement that the Great Northern and Northern Pacific had made up a budget calling for the expenditure of $13,500,000 for equipment this year, the report having it that the first named road already had ordered seventy locomotives and 1,000 steel freight cars.

Further stories of damage to winter wheat centered attention upon the grain markets, where wheat prices rose sharply, although the advance seemed in large measure due to the nervousness of the short interest.

Foreign Exchange Strong.

The feature of the local money market was the continued strength in foreign exchange. Demand sterling rates moved forward again, indicating a resumption of gold exports to South American points. Of gold arriving in London from South Africa during the day Paris and India secured $1,000,000 each, leaving $2,750,00 as the portion of the Bank of England. Bankers everywhere are keenly interested in the English political situation, for it is well understood that the money markets must be directly and powerfully affected by any upset of the present ministry.

Money on call, easy, 2¾@3 per cent; ruling rate, 3%; closing bid, 2¾; offered, at 3. Time loans, firm and fairly active; 60 days, 3¼ per cent and 90 days 3¼@3½; 6 months, 3¾@4. Close: Prime mercantile paper, 4½@5 per cent; sterling exchange strong, closed steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.8480@4.8490 for 60 day bills and at 4.8715 for demand; commercial bills, 4.84½@4.84¾. Bar silver, 50½c. Mexican dollars, 44c. Government bonds weak. Railroad bonds steady.

NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS.

Description.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close. Feb.	Close. 28.
Alls-Chalmers	100	12	12	12	12	12
Amal. Copper	11,900	75¾	77¼	75¾	76¾	76¾
Am. Bet Sugar	100	38	38	38	38	37½
Am. Can	200	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝
Do pfd	200	76¼	76¼	76¼	76¼	76¼
Am. Car Fdy	200	62	63	62	63	63
Am. Cot. Oil	400	65	65¾	64½	65¾	65¾
Am. H. & L. pfd.	200	39¼	40	39¼	40	40
Am. Ice Sec.	200	22	23¼	22	23	23¼
Am. Loco.	300	50¼	51	50¼	51	50¾
Do pfd	100	111⅜	111⅜	111⅜	111⅜	111⅜
Am. Malt. pfd.	200	44½	44½	44½	44½	44½
Am. Smelting	14,700	81⅝	83½	81⅛	83	82
Do pfd	500	107	107¼	107	107¼	
Do bonds	100	97¾	97¾	97¾	97¾	97¾
Am. Steel Fdy	400	61⅝	62	61⅛	62	61
Am. Sugar	2,500	126	127½	126	127½	125
Do pfd	100	123¼	123¼	123¼	123¼	123¼
Am. Tel. & Tel.	1,000	140¾	141¾	140¾	141	140½
Am. Tob. pfd	100	94	94	94	94	
Am. Woolen	200	37	37	37	37	37¼
Do pfd	200	101¾	101¾	101¼	101½	
Anaconda	1,400	49	49¼	49	49¼	49¾
Atch. Arbor	200	83	83	80	80	80
Do pfd	100	99	99	98	98	98
Atchison	8,000	115¾	116	115	116	115
Do pfd	300	103¾	103¾	103¾	103¾	103¾
Atl. C. L.	1,200	120½	121¼	120½	120	121
Balt. & Ohio	300	111¾	112	111¼	112	111¾
Beth. Steel	300	3	3	3		
Bethlehem Steel	100	30¾	30¾	30¼	30¼	30¼
Do pfd	700	60½	60⅝	60½	60⅝	
B. R. Transit	3,000	74⅜	75¼	74⅜	75¼	74¾
Brk. Man.	100	16	16	16	16	16
Buf., Roch. & W. pf.	200	30	31	30	31	
Can. Pacific	2,400	183	183	181¾	182¾	181¾
Cent. Leather	100,600	41⅝	42¾	41⅝	42⅝	41⅝
Do pfd	200	105¾	106¾	105¾	106¾	106¾
Ches. & Ohio	3,400	83	84⅜	83	83¾	83¾
C. G. W. new	1,600	29⅛	31⅛	29⅛	31	30½
C. G. W. 1st	1,100	57	57	57	57	57
C. M. & St. P.	3,800	144¼	145¾	144¼	145¾	144¾
C. & S. W.	200	156	156	156	156	156
C. C. C. & St. L.	300	81	81	81	81	81
C. T. & T.	1,000	39	39¼	38⅜	39⅜	39⅜
Colo. Southern	1,300	63	64	63	63¾	63
Colo. Fuel & I.	300	16	16	15¾	17⅛	15
Con. Gas	2,400	143¾	145¾	143¾	145	144
Cor. Prod.	900	16	18¾	17¼	18¾	18⅝
Do pfd	100	82	82	82	82	
Cuba Transl.	500	30c	30c	30c	30c	
D. & R. G.	400	40	40½	40	40½	40⅜
Do pfd	100	81¾	81¾	81¾	81¾	82
Del. & Hud.	1,600	29	30	29	29¾	29½
Do 1st pfd	200	46¾	47	46¾	47	
Del. Lack. & W.	200	165¾	165¾	165¾	165¾	165¾
Den. & Rio G.	100	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½
Do pfd	200	69	69¼	69	69¼	
Det. United Ry	1,200	136¾	137	136¾	137	136
Distillers' Sec.	100	90	90	90	90	
Illinois Cent.	200	142	142	142	142	
Int. Harvester	2,700	90½	92¼	90¾	92	90¾
Int. Met.	3,000	21¾	22¾	21¾	22¾	21¾
Do pfd	3,100	54½	55⅞	54½	55⅝	55⅞
Inter. Paper	200	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾
Do pfd	100	43	43	43	43	
Iowa Central	500	22¾	22¾	22¾	23	23
K. C. Southern	300	41¾	41¾	41¾	41¾	41½
Do pfd	300	37	37	37	37	37¼
Lehigh Valley	200	69	69¾	69	69¾	69¾
Louis. & Nash.	900	152¾	153	152¾	153	152¾
Manhattan Elev.	100	76	76	76	76	
Manhattan	100	135¾	135¾	135¾	135¾	
Met. Securities	300	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
Do pfd						
Mex. Central	200	9¼	9¼	9¼	9¼	9¼
Mex. National	200	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾
Minn. & St. L.	200	70¾	71¾	70¾	71¾	71
Mo. Pacific	760	81¾	82¾	81¾	82¾	82
Nat. Biscuit	3,500	27¾	28¼	27¾	28¼	27¼
Do pfd	11,700	130¾	132¾	130¾	132½	131¾
Nat. Lead	300	159¼	160	159¼	159¾	159¾
Do pfd	100	149	149	149	149	149
N. R. R. of Mex.	1,300	101¼	101¾	100¾	101	102
Do 2d pfd	100	78¾	78¾	78¾	78¾	
N. Y. Central	2,400	135¾	136	135¾	136	135¼
N. Y. C. & St. L.	17,000	132¾	134¼	132¾	134¼	133¾
Do 1st pfd	900	106¾	106¾	106¾	106¾	106¾
Do 2d pfd	400	102	102½	102	102½	
N. Y. C. & St. L.	2,200	101	102¾	101	102¾	101¾
N. Y. Chicago	200	21	21	21	21	20¾
N. Y. Gas	600	73¾	74	73¾	74	73¾
N. Y. Lack. & W.	161,800	43	43	43	43	42¾
Do pfd	200	104	104	102	102	104
Norfolk & West.	1,200	37¾	38¼	37¾	38¼	38
Do pfd	100	101¾	101¾	101¾	101¾	102
North American	10,600	48¾	49¾	48¾	49	49¾
Nor. Pac. 1st pf.	100	55	55	55	55	
Ont. & West.	200	40	40	40	40	
Pacific Mail	700	50	50¼	50	50¼	49¾
Penn. R. R.	10,100	125¾	126¾	125¾	126¼	125¾
Peo. Gas	100	111¾	111¾	111¾	111¾	
Pittsburg Railway	300	28¾	28¾	28¾	28¾	28¾
Do pfd	200	29¾	29¾	29¼	29¼	29¾
Pitts. & L. E.	100	94	94	94	94	94
Pitts. & W.	400	43¾	44¼	43¾	44¼	43¾
Pitts. Coal	200	68¾	69¾	68¾	68¾	68¼
Do pfd	400	113¾	115¾	113¾	115¾	115¾
Reading	57,700	166¼	168⅝	166¼	168⅛	167¾
Do 1st pfd	100	101	101	101	101	
Do 2d pfd	300	97	97	97	97	
Rep. I. & S.	500	24	25¼	24	25¼	25¼
Do pfd	200	77¼	77¾	77¼	77¾	
Rock Island pfd.	200	108¾	108¾	108¾	108¾	
St. L. & S. F.	100	74¼	74¼	74¼	74¼	
Do 1st pfd	1,700	45¾	45¾	45	45	45¾
Do 2d pfd	1,800	114¾	115¾	114¾	115¾	114
St. L. S. W.	300	29	30	29	30	30
Do pfd	106,700	80¾	82¾	80¾	81¾	80¾
Sloss-Sheffield	2,100	116¾	120¾	116¾	120¾	119¾
Do pfd	1,400	49¾	49¾	48¾	49¾	49¾
Southern Pacific	1,200	53¾	55	53¾	55	54¾
Southern Ry.	100	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
Do pfd	2,400	46¾	47	46¾	46¾	46¾
Tenn. Coal & Iron	100	170	170	170	170	
Texas & Pacific	400	48¾	48¾	48½	48¾	48¾
Third Ave.	21,400	73	75	72¾	75	75
Twin City	200	70¾	70¾	70¾	70¾	71
Union Pacific	515,500	shares.				

IN PHILADELPHIA.

Valley	2,132	105¾	104¾	103¾	104¼	104¼

EXPRESS STOCKS.

	242@265	United States	120@125
	270@290	Wells-Fargo	168@175

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
2s, registered	101	101¾
2s, coupon	101	
3s, registered	102½	102¾
3s, coupon	102½	103¼
4s, registered	114¾	115¼
4s, coupon	114¾	115¼
Panama 2s, registered	100½	101¼
Panama 2s, coupon	100½	101¼

NEW YORK BOND SALES AND QUOTATIONS—10 A. M. TO 3 P. M.

Argentine gold		Manhattan 4s	97
		M. K.-T. 4s	93¾
		do 2d 4s	86¾
		do ref 4s	84½
		do 4½s	89¾
		do Pac 5s	110¾
		do cv 5s full paid	85⅝@85¾
		do 5s 1917	101⅞@102
		Mob.-Ohio gen 4s	80½

		Morris-Essex 1st 7s	113¾
		Nash C-St L 1sts	108½
		Nassau Elec con 5s	80
		Nat Ry Mex g 4s	90¾
		do prior 4½s	95
		N. Cent 3½s	90⅝
		do 3½s reg	89
		N Y C-St L 4s	104½
		N. Y. Dock 1st 4s	96¾
		N Y G E L H & P 6s	84½@85
		N Y N H-H 4s	103¾
		do cv 3½s	102¼@
		do 4s 1955	98
		N Y Tel 4½s	111
		Nor & West gen 6s	136¾
		do Poc Ter 1st 4s ctfs	116¾
		Northwestern deb 5s	105¾@
		Nor Pac gen 3s	73¾@
		do cv 4s	106¾@
		do 4s reg	104¾
		Ohio Riv R 1st 5s	116½
		Ore R & Nav con 4s	94¼
		Ore Short Line 1st 6s	132
		do gen 4s	94¼
		Pac Coast Co 1st 5s	99
		Pac R R of Mo 4s	99
		Pac Tel 1sts 5s	102
		Penn con 4s 1948	107¾
		do cv 3½s ctfs	96¾@97
		Peo Gas 1sts 6s	107
		Phila Co cv 5s	96¼
		Pitts C-St L 4s	96¾
		Reading gen 4s	100
		Rio Grande W 1st 4s	97½
		do pfd cons 4s	108¾
		St L-I M 4s	80
		St L-S F gen 6s	102½
		do R-G 4s	87¾
		do S F 4s	94
		St P M-M ext 4s	99¾
		St P S M con 4s	130
		St L S W 1st 4s	96½
		Sou Pac cv 4s	102¾
		Sou Ry 4s	87¾
		do 5s	108¾
		do St L 4s	87¾
		Tol St L-W col 4s	85⅝
		Tri City Ry-Ly-I col 5s	98
		Und London 5s	98¾
		Va Coke-Coal 5s	100
		Wab 1st 5s	111
		do 5s	103¼
		Wash Cent 1st 4s ctfs	41⅝
		Westinghouse cv 5s	107¾@
		West Shore 1st 4s	101
		Western Un cv 4s	102¼
		do 5s	104¾
		Wis Cent 4s	93¾
		do S-D 4s	93¾

Total sales, $2,053,000.

New York Curb Transactions.

	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Alpha Con.	2,400	6	6	6	6
Am. Tobacco	40	405	405	404	404
B. S. Gas	1,000	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝
Bos. Cons	100	19	19	19	19
Branden Cop	1,000	4¼	4¾	4¼	4¾
Caledonia	100	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼
Chino	6,200	14⅞	14⅞	14½	14⅝
Cob. Cent	9,600	18¼	18¼	17c	18c
Colonial Silver	900	½	½	½	½
Con. Ariz	2,200	2¾	2¾	2¾	2¾
Colorado Mng	500	85	85	85	85
Davis-Daly	100	3¼	3¼	3¼	3¼
Ely Cent	2,900	1	1	1 7-16	1
First Nat. Cop	50	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾
Florence Gold	225	2¾	2¾	2¾	2¾
Gila Cop	600	8	9	8	8
Giroux	3,000	9¾	10	9¾	9¾
Greene Can	2,100	10¾	10¾	10¼	10¾
Goldfield Con	2,800	7 15-16	7 15-16	7 15-16	7 15-16
King Edward	300	7-16	½	7-16	½
Kerr Lake	2,900	9 9-16	9¾	9¼	9¾
Mason Valley	600	1¾	1¾	1¾	1¾
Miami	900	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾
Nev. Con	2,000	22¾	22¾	22¼	22¾
Nev. S. & M	1,100	¼	¼	11-16	11-16
Nev. Utah	700	1¼	1 5-16	1¼	1 5-16
New Baltic	200	18¾	18¾	18	18
Nipissing	400	10 5-16	10 5-16	10¾	10 3-16
Ohio Cop	200	4	4	3¾	3¾
Rawhide Coal		17¼c	18¼c	17¼c	17¼c
Ray Cent	2,100	5¾	5¾	5¼	5 5-16
Ray Con	1,100	21¼	21⅝	21¼	21⅜
Silver Queen	1,500	21c	22c	21c	21c
Standard Oil	51	617⅝	618	617	618
Tolumne Cop	200	5¾	5¾	5¾	5¾
Trans-Atlantic	300	5¾	5¾	5¾	5¾
Tribullion	500	15-16	15-16	15-16	15-16
Un. Cigar Stg	5	86¾	86¾	86¾	86¾
Un. Copper	100	½	½	½	½
U. S. L. & H.	1,200	2¾	2¾	2 1-16	2 1-16
Do pfd	1,000	8	8¾	8	8
Yukon	980	4¼	4¼	4¾	4¾

BONDS.

$10,000 A. C. L. cv 4s	101	101	101	101	101
5,000 Bin. Cen. Ry 6s	91	91	91	91	91
14,000 C. Gt. West. 4s	90	90	90	90	90
10,000 West. Pac. 6s	97½	97½	97¼	97¼	97¼

BID AND ASKED PRICES.

	Bid.	Asked.
Alaska Mines	3c	9c
American Writing Paper	3¼	4
Do pfd	27	29
British Col. Copper	6¾	7
Butte Coal	24	25
Chicago Subway	3½	4
Colonial Sil	9-16	11-16
Combination Fraction	30c	33c
Cumberland Ely	9	10
Pac. Smelting Mining	15-16	1 1-16
Dominion Copper	1c	2c
Dolores Land	6½	7
Furnace Creek	4c	8c
Foster Cobalt	17c	22c
Goldfield Daisy	6c	10c
Gold Hill Cop	1	1¼
Greene Gold-Silver	2c	6c
	1-16	2-16
Havana Tobacco	5	8
Do pfd	7	12
International Salt	6¾	7
Larose Cons	4¼	4¾
Man. Transit	1⅝	1¾
Mines Co. of America	45c	50c
Mitchell Mining	1-16	3-16
McKinley Darragh	82c	87c
Montgomery Shoshone	¾	1
Nevada Cons	22¾	23¼
Nevada Smelting & Mining	¾	1
Nev.-Utah Mining Smelting	1¼	1 5-16
Nipissing Mines Co	10¼	10¾
North Butte	36¾	37¼
North Butte Extension	1c	5c
Safeda Coal & Light	120	132
Standard Coupler	31	
Do pfd	110	
Stewart Mining	¾	¾
Superior & Pittsburg	12¾	14
Tonopah Mining	7	7¼
Trinity Copper	¾	¾
United Copper pfd	15	25
White Knob Copper	¼	¼
Do pfd	¾	¾
Pac. Gas Elec	51	52¼
Ely Cons	¼	15-16

IN THE FOREIGN STOCK MARKET.

LONDON, Feb. 28.—Money was in good demand today, incident to the payment of $20,000,000 in treasury bills. Discount rates were steady. The weekly statement of South African gold amounted to $4,750,000. India and Paris each took $1,000,000, and the rest was taken by the Bank of England at a reduction of ½d. Trading on the stock exchange was dull and heavy, with the exception of the rubber shares section, which continued to attract considerable attention and support at higher prices. The uncertain political situation was mainly responsible for weakness in gilt edged securities, home rails, and Kaffirs, but consols hardened slightly in the afternoon. Copper shares dropped, in sympathy with New York, and trunk lines were lower on profit taking. American securities opened quiet and about unchanged. During the first hour trading was light and featureless. Prices declined in the early afternoon on fears of a poor winter wheat crop and the lower New York opening, but in the late trade light buying orders caused a recovery, and the market closed steady.

LONDON CLOSING STOCKS.

Consols for money	81 15-16	Louis. & Nashville	155¼
Do for account		M., K. & Texas	45¾
April	82¼	N. Y. Central	125½
tmal. Copper	78	Nor. & Western	105¾
naconda	10¾	Do pfd	92
Atchison	118¼	Ont. & Western	46¼
Do pfd	107	Pennsylvania	66½
Balt. & Ohio	114¾	Rand Mines	9
Canadian Pacific	183	Reading	85¾
Ches. & Ohio	85¾	Southern Railway	29¾
Chi. Gt. Western	22	Do pfd	67¼
C., M. & St. P	148¼	Southern Pacific	120
De Beers	19	Union Pacific	161¾
D. & R. Grande	41¼	Do pfd	101¼
Do pfd	82	U. S. Steel	82¾
Erie	30¾	Do pfd	125
Do 2d pfd	36¼	Wabash	22
Grand Trunk	253¾	Do pfd	47¼
Illinois Central	146¼	Spanish 4s	95¼

Bar silver steady, 23 5-16d per ounce. Money, 1¼@2% per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2 1-16@2¾ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for three months bills is 2¾ per cent.

PARIS, Feb. 28.—Prices were irregular on the bourse today.

BERLIN, Feb. 28.—Trading was dull and prices declined on the bourse today.

TREASURY STATEMENT.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 28.—The condition of the treasury at the beginning of business today was as follows:

TRUST FUNDS.

Gold coin	$858,212,869
Silver dollars	485,773,000
Silver dollars of 1890	3,960,000
Silver certificates outstanding	485,776,000

GENERAL F

$150,000 PAID FOR MICHIGAN AV. SITE

Premises at 1235-1237 Sold by Ira B. Cook of Evanston to Harris Whittemore.

NEW BUILDING FOR BANK

Lake View Trust and Savings Acquires Land at Ashland and Belmont Avenues.

An important transaction in South Michigan avenue frontage was closed yesterday in the sale by Ira B. Cook of Evanston to Harris Whittemore, son of J. H. Whittemore of Naugatuck, Conn., of the premises 1235-1237 for $150,000.

The lot is 50x130 feet, with two story brick residence improvements, given on value in the transaction, which makes the sale at the rate of $3,000 a front foot. The board of review valued the property at $79,000, and the buildings going in at $4,800. Mr. Whittemore, who was represented by Edward F. Gaston, will remodel the present buildings to suit desirable tenant.

John H. Whittemore, the father of the purchaser, was a large holder of central business property a few years ago, but disposed of most of his holdings. J. A. Briggs & Co. were the brokers in the present deal. Mr. Whittemore now has 177 feet at this point, as he owns 127 feet adjoining on the north.

A handsome new bank building at the northeast corner of Ashland and Belmont avenues is involved in the purchase just closed by the Lake View Trust and Savings bank. The latter has acquired from Miss Amanda Guise 40x100 feet of ground, with three story business improvements, for $51,000. The sale is subject to a long term lease, but if the bank can arrange with the lessees it will erect a new bank building on the land. The property is but a short distance from the present bank building.

Apartment House Property Sold.

J. Grafton Parker has acquired from Henry N. Peterson the apartment house property in Madison avenue, 204 feet south of Forty-ninth street, with 50x150 feet of ground, west front. A consideration of $1 is given in the deed, but the transfer is subject to an incumbrance of $20,000.

E. R. Mickelberry of Bloomington, Ill., has acquired from James E. Osborn of Decatur, Ill., the leasehold estate and building on the 78x100 feet of ground in State street, 775 feet north of Fiftieth street, for $30,000.

Record was made of a quitclaim conveyance by Judge Manchs Bruggemeyer to Christian See of See & Co., wholesale grocers, of 200x139 feet in La Salle street, 128 feet south of Thirty-ninth street, running back to the right of way of the Chicago Junction railway. This is the property which See & Co. are to occupy with their business, and their location in this district has aroused much interest.

Mortimer D. Hathaway of Rochelle, Ill., has purchased from Samuel E. Thrall the store and flat property with 75x125 feet of ground at the southeast corner of Lake and Lincoln streets for $27,500, subject to an incumbrance of $15,000.

Isaac Clyman has sold to Siegfrid M. Robbin the property at 14-22 South Paulina street and 1704-1710 Ogden place for $30,000. The property fronts 108 feet on Paulina street and 104½ feet on Ogden avenue in 400 feet south of Madison street and is improved with two story flat buildings. S. W. Winfield & Co. were the brokers, and the purchaser is to remodel the building, placing stores on the ground floor. Four of the five proposed stores have been rented already.

Deal on North Park Avenue.

Micajah H. Elliott and others have sold to Mary E. Vance the property in North Park avenue, 190 feet north of Ohio street, 40x100 feet, improved with a building containing two stores and four flats, for $20,000, subject to an incumbrance of $8,000. In part payment the purchaser conveyed the three story flat building with 80x179 feet of ground, west front, in Central avenue, 120 feet south of Fifty-first street, for $16,000, subject to incumbrance of $5,500.

Charles H. Allen has purchased from James H. Ficklin the property at the southeast corner of Jackson boulevard and Richmond street, with lot 43x125 feet, with brick improvements, for $22,500, subject to an incumbrance of $8,000.

It is deed recorded during the day Louis A. Seeberger appears as taking title to a tract of 300x600 feet at Addison street and the north branch of the Chicago river from Joseph Fels, Mary Geohegan, and others, for $30,000. This is a part of the Bickerdike tract deal, the conveyance of which was noted a few weeks ago.

William F. Obergfell has purchased from Hattie M. Hagberg the flat property in Winthrop avenue, 200 feet north of Bryn Mawr avenue, with 50x150 feet, west front, for $25,000. The store and flat property at the northwest corner of Evanston avenue and Victor street, valued at $10,000, was given in part payment. B. B. Clover & Bro. were the brokers.

Byron M. Hopkins and James W. Luther have purchased the property in Sixty-third street, 100 feet east of Madison avenue, 75x126 feet, south front, with brick business improvements. The property was first conveyed by Fred Tate of Chicago, Cal., to Vinsens A. Hackel for a nominal consideration, subject to incumbrance of $26,500. Hackel then conveyed for $70,000, subject to same incumbrance.

Brewery Makes Conveyance.

In a deed recorded Hoffman Bros. Brewing company conveyed to Edward C. Sweetland 30x116 feet at the southwest corner of Halsted and Erie streets; 25x120 feet at the southwest corner of Howard street and South Fortieth avenue; 25x124 feet at the northwest corner of Taylor street and South Fortieth avenue and other property in Cicero for $60,000.

Record was made of the conveyance by Andrew J. Graham to Cæsar Dal Pene of the property in Madison street 75½ feet west of Halsted street, 24x100 feet, south front, with four story and basement building. The consideration in the deed is $10 but the actual price was $45,000, or over $2,000 a front foot.

Record was made of eleven conveyances by George H. Murphy to the Crane company of property on Canal street around Twelfth and Fourteenth streets which the Crane company plan to use as a site for a big addition to their plant.

Louis C. Wagner has sold to Byron M. Hopkins the residence property in Woodland Park, 200 feet east of Cottage Grove avenue, 65x150 feet, north front, for $30,000, subject to incumbrance of $8,000.

The Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance company has sold to John B. and May Dahl the property in Prairie avenue 334 feet south of Twenty-fourth street, 64x170 feet, with residence improvements for $17,000. The purchasers gave back a part purchase-money mortgage for $15,000, five years, at 5 per cent.

Sells Store and Flat Property.

John A. Ekblad has sold his store and flat property at 4629 Evanston avenue to F. M. Murphy for $16,500 cash. Reninger & Rubly were the brokers.

John Larson & Co. have leased the three story and basement building at 251 Dearborn, for Frank Cuneo, to Davis Sons & Co. for a term rental of $21,000. It will be used for the auction of general merchandise.

President Frederick A. Delano, president of the Wabash road, will talk on matters of interest to real estate men at today's weekly luncheon of the Cook county real estate board.

Real Estate Transfers.

ROGERS PARK.

Kenilworth-av., 50 w of Perry-st., s f, 50x164, incumb, $6,800. Feb. 24 [Chas. H. Thurwen to Emil Miller] $11,000

LAKE VIEW.

Briar-pl., 250 w of Sheridan-rd, s f, 75x125, and o p, incumb. $7,000. Feb. 26 [Estate of Adele Lauterjung] 1

Lincoln-av., 198 n of Lincoln-av., s f, 20x125, Feb. 26 [C. Koha to John Apel] 2,150

Perry-st., 74 n of Waveland-av., w f, 25x125, incumb. $1,800. Feb. 26 [Hilda E. Palmer and hus John A. to Christian and Barbara Durr] 2,300

Sunnyside-pk., 115 s of Sunnyside-av., e f, 26x130. Feb. 18 [Charles R. Howard quitclaims to Ella H. Kimball] 1

Wellington-st., n e cor E. Ravenswood-pk., s f, 50x125, incumb. $4,000. Feb. 23 [Thomas W. Wing to Peter Reinberg] 1

Wilton-av., 225 s of Waveland-av., w f, 25x120, incumb. $2,500. Feb. 26 [John A. Zimmer and others to Vera Kraft] 1

Winnemac-av., 158 w of Evanston-av., s f, 25x144. Feb. 26 [Louise Kraus to Anna L. Johnson] 1

Halsted-st., n w cor Diversey-blvd., e f, 122x122. Feb. 14 [J. B. Dorland to Mary D. Keaney] 6,000

Halsted-st., s w s of Diversey-blvd., e f, 50x80. Feb. 24 [Mary D. Heaney to Albert Kleist] 1

Halsted-st., 32 n of Diversey-blvd., e f, 50x80. Feb. 24 [Mary D. Heaney to Max and Rosa Levy] 5,000

Halsted-st., n w cor Diversey-blvd., e f, 50x80. Feb. 24 [Mary D. Heaney to Thomas F. Flaherty] 5,000

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Addison-st., s w cor N. 41st-ct., n f, 66x160. Feb. 16 [Chas. B. Moore to Richard Thomas] 1

Armitage-av., 33 e of N. 51st-av., s f, 50x125. Feb. 26 [Agnes A. McCarthy to Julia A. Lyons and Helen M. Doherty] 1

Central Park-av., s e cor Leland-av., e f, 288x125, and o p. Feb. 23 [Chas. M. Haugan to James P. Hansen] 2,400

Bonnie-av., n e cor Lawrence-av., e f, 50x118¾. Dec. 1, '09 [S. Kovac to Junc Borocvan] 1

30th-av., n 191 n of Avondale-av., e f, 50x111¾. Feb. 8 [Stefan Kovac to Jan Cillo] 700

41st-av., n 227 s of Byron-st., w f, 84x178. Feb. 19 [Henry G. Zander to Dayton W. Hamlin] 2,600

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$5,500. Feb. 16 [Chicago Title and Trust company, trustee, to Louise Miller] 2

LAKE.

Carpenter-st., 204 s of 56th, e f, 26x124. Feb. 25 [Annie Desmond to Richard J. Rice] 1

La Salle-st., 128 s of 39th, w f, 200x139 on s line, 200x139 on n line. Feb. 21 [M. Bruggemeyer quitclaims to Christian See] 1

Ellis-av., 125 s of 39th, w f, 200x139 on s line, 200x139 on n line. Feb. 21 [M. Bruggemeyer quitclaims to Christian See] 1

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DEATHS.

HN—Charles William Jirjahn, beloved hus- of Irene, nee Long, father of Helen Pau- and brother of Anna Jirjahn and Mrs. Chatain, in New York, Feb. 24, 1910. Fu- from residence of A. Chatain, 4360 Lake av., nesday, March 2, 3 p. m. Interment at Oak- s. New York City papers please copy.

ON—Peter Larson, Feb. 27, 1910, aged 59 , beloved husband of Catherine and fond r of Perry, Mrs. McGraw, Mrs. Zeller, and late Edwin Larson. Funeral from the resi- e of his daughter, Mrs. Zeller, 3514 N. Pau- st., Tuesday at 2 p. m. Interment Rosehill.

James Joseph Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. es Lee, brother of John and George Lee, 1044 rsey-blvd., 3 years and 8 months old. Fu- l Wednesday, March 2, at 2 o'clock, to St. face cemetery.

HOUSE—Otto Newhouse, aged 55 years and onths, beloved husband of Theresa New- e, nee Immekus, and father of Edward, Otto, ude, Mrs. William Rieth, and Sister M. Benita, S. D. Funeral Wednesday, March 2, at 9:30 m. from his late residence, 1422 S. Homan- to St. Mary of Perpetual Help church, where mass will be celebrated; thence to St. rface cemetery.

ER—James Barrcliffe Oliver, of W. H. shury & Co., son of the late Dr. Frederick er and Eliza Johnstone Oliver of Buffalo, N. entered into rest at Oake Lane, Philadelphia, the residence of his brother, George Oliver, on nday, Feb. 28. Interment at Forest Lawn metery in Buffalo, N. Y., on Wednesday, rch 9. Buffalo papers please copy.

LL—Peter O'Neill, Feb. 28, 1910, beloved band of Bertha J. O'Neill, nee Crost. Funeral nesday, 9:30 a. m., from late residence, 3514 ens-av., to St. Sylvester's church. Mass s will be celebrated; by carriages to St. rface. Member of Commercial council, K.

TT—Anna F. Orcutt, aged 72 years, widow he late William F. Orcutt, sister of Mrs. Julia Dodge and Robert and William M. Ellis. Fu- l from Oakwoods cemetery chapel, 3 p. m. nday, March 1.

S—Theodore Phinney Pleas, only son of an J. and Carrie Green Pleas, Feb. 28, 1910, years and 9 months. Funeral Tuesday, rch 1, at 2 p. m., at late residence, 516 Oakdale- Interment at Graceland. Owosso, N. Y., Detroit, Mich., papers please copy.

AN—Marion Neade Rayan, age 16 years, at residence, 4638 Kenmore-av., beloved daugh- of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rayan. Funeral nesday, at 10 a. m., to Our Lady of Lourdes' rch, thence by carriages to Calvary.

E—Minnie Imogene Stone, aged 47 years, ghter of Jemima Bartlett of Winona, Minn., e of Wallace Stone; sister of Harry B. Bart- and Clark Bartlett. Funeral Tuesday, March at 2 p. m., from late residence 1615 S. 5th-av., rwood. Interment to take place at Winona, n.

LE—Sarah Jane Tolle, nee Johnston, aged years, beloved mother of Sharp J., Harriet R., rence E., and Max M. Tolle. Funeral from late residence, 3837 Wilcox-av. Wednes- y, March 2, at 1 p. m. Antrim [O.] papers copy.

LETT—Emily Willett, Feb. 27, 1910, aged years, at 5648 Jefferson-av., widow of the late ancis Willett; beloved mother of Mrs. Bodett, Mrs. Perry, Mrs. Myers, Mrs. Stafford, Mrs. aig, and Mr. Alvonzo Willett. Funeral Wednes- y, March 2, 1910, at 10 a. m. at St. John the ptist church, Fourth-av., Florida-st., where quiem high mass will be celebrated, thence by rriages to Mt. Olivet.

OFFICIAL WEATHER FORECAST.

FICE OF CHIEF OF WEATHER BUREAU, shington, D. C., Feb. 28, 10 p. m. Forecast: inois and Indiana—Unsettled, probably show- Tuesday; warmer, Wednesday partly cloudy. sconsin, Nebraska, and South Dakota—Partly udy and cooler Tuesday. Wednesday fair. rth Dakota—Fair Tuesday, cooler in south- and warmer in northwest portion. Wednesday and warmer.

io—Unsettled weather and probably showers ght and Wednesday, moderate tem- erature light, variable winds.

Visconsin—Partly cloudy and probably rain or ow Tuesday. Wednesday fair, moderate south ing to west winds.

ower and upper Michigan—Partly cloudy and mer Tuesday, probably rain or snow by night. Wednesday unsettled, light to moderate south ds, becoming variable.

Stations.	Thermometer.		Rainfall in inches.	Direction of wind.	State of weather.
	Max. temp.	Min. temp.			
Abilene	72	78		S.W.	Clo'dy
Albany	40	46	.11	N.	Rain
Atlanta	62	64	.78	S.E.	Clo'dy
Amarillo	64	70		S.W.	Fair
Atlantic City	44	50		N.W.	Clear
Battleford	8	14	.01	N.W.	Clear
Bismarck	26	42		N.W.	Clear
Boise	42	48	.18	S.W.	Rain
Boston	54	58	.14	S.W.	Rain
Buffalo	32	36	.62	N.E.	Clo'dy
Calgary	20	24	Tr.	N.E.	Clo'dy
Calgary	20	24		N.E.	Fair
Charles City	30	34		N.E.	Clo'dy
Charlotte	54	64	1.00	S.E.	Rain
Cheyenne	40	48		N.W.	Clear
Chicago	32	32		N.E.	Clo'dy
Cincinnati	44	54	.34	S.E.	Clo'dy
Cleveland	34	34	.34	N.E.	Clo'dy
Concordia	30	36		S.W.	Clo'dy
Davenport	34	36	.16	N.E.	Clo'dy
Denver	50	54		N.W.	Clear
Des Moines	40	46		N.W.	Clo'dy
Dodge City	58	68		S.W.	Clo'dy
Duluth	28	28		N.W.	Clo'dy
Edmonton	12	20	.10	S.E.	Clear
Escanaba	24	24		N.E.	Clear
Galveston	56	58		S.E.	Clear
Grand Haven	34	36		S.E.	Clear
Green Bay	30	34		S.E.	Clear
Havre	14	20		S.W.	Clear
Helena	34	38		W.	Clo'dy
Huron	34	38		W.	Clo'dy
Indianapolis	42	50		S.E.	Clear
Jacksonville	72	80	.50	N.E.	Rain
Kansas City	48	52		S.E.	Fair
Kalispell	30	34		S.W.	Clear
Lander	44	46		W.	Clear
Little Rock	48	50		E.	Clear
Los Angeles	58	62		S.E.	Clear
Madison	28	32		S.E.	Clear
Marquette	28	28		S.E.	Clear
Memphis	54	60		S.E.	Clear
Medicine Hat	14	20	.14	W.	Clear
Milwaukee	30	34		S.E.	Fair
Minnedosa	6	16		S.E.	Clo'dy
Nantucket	66	70	.72	S.W.	Clo'dy
Montreal	38	40	.34	N.E.	Clo'dy
Moorhead	20	24		N.W.	Clear
Nashville	54	62		S.E.	Clo'dy
New Orleans	66	70	Tr.	E.	Clo'dy
New York	66	76	.39	S.E.	Clo'dy
North Platte	52	58	Tr.	S.E.	Clo'dy
Oklahoma	54	62		S.E.	Clo'dy
Omaha	44	52		S.E.	Clo'dy
Palestine	60	64		S.E.	Clo'dy
Parkersburg	52	62	.68	W.	Rain
Philadelphia	58	62	.70	N.W.	Clear
Pittsburg	44	52	.20	N.W.	Clear
Portland, Ore.	50	54	.60	S.W.	Rain
Qu'Appelle	6	14		N.W.	Clear
Rapid City	36	38	.30	W.	Clo'dy
Qu'appelle	6	14		N.W.	Clear
Salt Lake City	36	42		S.E.	Clo'dy
St. Louis	44	52		S.E.	Clo'dy
St. Paul	24	28	.01	N.W.	Clo'dy
San Antonio	62	68		S.E.	Clear
Salt Lake City	46	48	.01	N.W.	Clear
San Francisco	52	56		S.E.	Clo'dy
San Diego	56	64		W.	Clear
Ste. Marie	24	32		S.E.	Clo'dy
Spokane	40	44	.06	S.E.	Clear
Springfield, Ill.	38	40		S.E.	Clear
Springfield, Mo.	48	50		S.E.	Clear
Tacoma	46	50	.16	S.	Rain
Tuckerman	56	60		S.E.	Clo'dy
Washington	60	64	.76	S.E.	Clear
White River	54	62		S.E.	Clo'dy
Wichita	54	62		S.E.	Clo'dy
Williston	18	42		W.	Sleet
Winnipeg	8	20	.26	W.	Clo'dy
Yellowstone Park	34	40		W.	Clo'dy

Time taken: Feb. 28, 7 p. m.

WEATHER IN CHICAGO.

The temperature as observed by L. Manasse, optician, 58 Madison street, Tribune building, was as follows: Thermometer—8 a. m., 32; 9 a. m., 33; 10 a. m., 35; 11 a. m., 34; 12 m., 35; 1 p. m., 34; 2 p. m., 36; 3 p. m., 36; 4 p. m., 35; 5 p. m., 35. Barometer—8 a. m., 29.60; 8 p. m., 29.52

FOREIGN MAIL SCHEDULE.

FOREIGN MAILS WILL CLOSE AT CHICAGO postoffice as follows:

For Switzerland, Spain, Portugal, Turkey, Egypt, Greece, British India, Roumania, Belgium, Cape Colony, Lourenzo Marques, 4:55 p. m.

For Cuba, 7:30 p. m.

For Alaska, 9 p. m.

For Jamaica and West Indies, 12 p. m.

For Manitoba, British Columbia, and Northwest Territory, 9 p. m.

For Hawaii, via San Francisco, by S. S. Alameda, Tuesday, March 1, 9 p. m.

For Guam and Philippines, via San Francisco, by the United States transport, Tuesday, March 1, 9 p. m.

For Japan, China, and Corea, via Tacoma, Wash., by S. S. Seattle, Monday, March 14, 9 p. m.

For Samoan Islands, New Zealand, and Australia, via San Francisco, by S. S. Mariposa, Sunday, March 6, 9 p. m.

For Europe, when specially addressed, by S. S. La Savoie, Saturday, March 5, 4:45 p. m.

For Austria, Bohemia, France, Germany [5 cent rate], Italy, Netherlands, Norway, Russia, and Sweden, by S. S. La Savoie, Tuesday, March 1, 12 midnight.

D. A. CAMPBELL, Postmaster.

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Bookkeepers and Clerks.

SITUATION WANTED—A FIRST CLASS BOOKkeeper, accountant, and auditor and general office man of exceptional ability, versed in all branches of office work; also some training in real estate and law; 15 years of age, married, and of splendid address and appearance; offers his services to fill any position, executive or otherwise, where opportunity will be given him to demonstrate his ability. Address X 448 Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — BY BOOKKEEPER who has kept complete set, had charge of accounts, credits, collections, discounts, loans, correspondence, routing shipments, and general office work, bought merchandise and been office manager; has had ten years' experience and refers to former Chicago employers. Address X 223, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BOOKKEEPER, CORrespondent, and all around office man; 7 years' R. R. and commercial experience; single; age 30; neat appearance; good habits. Understand accounting thoroughly; can take charge. Best references and bond. Accustomed to meeting and talking to people in intelligent and businesslike manner. Address X 394, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—PRACTICAL MAN FOR shop or factory, familiar with all details, including bookkeeping, billing, correspondence, timekeeping, buying rolls, etc., etc.; absolutely reliable; no concern 11 years; 30 years of age, married. Address A 405, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—DOUBLE ENTRY EXperienced bookkeeper wishes to manage small office single handed or otherwise; educated, middle aged bachelor; representative, good correspondent, English and German; Chicago or elsewhere; disengaged March 4th. Address B 471, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MARRIED man with extensive office and business experience; familiar with small order systems; rapid and accurate at figures; desire connection with responsible concern; moderate salary to start; references. Address Z 500, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AS OFFICE MGR., bookkeeper, or genl. bkpr.; 13 years' exp. mfg. bkg., contr. mercantile, and public acctg.; A1 executive, capable systemizing office of any size. Address B 475, Tribune. A1 refs.; single; age 29.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN, HONEST, sober, industrious; 9 years' experience general office work as bookkeeper, auditor, correspondent; not afraid of work and willing to start on small salary with growing concern; references and bond. Address X 405, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—MAN THOROUGHLY experienced in collections, accounting, auditing, and all branches of office work, desires position where energy and application to duty will produce results for himself and all concerned. Address B 381, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN, IN A reliable real estate or brokerage office; first class bookkeeper; 20 years of age; steady and industrious habits; moderate salary to begin. Address X 338, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY GOOD, RELIABLE man as shipping clerk or stockkeeper, having had 3 years' experience; also have salesman ability; can furnish A1 reference. Address B 404, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—STOCKKEEPER; AN experienced man familiar with the handling of stock, stock records, etc.; five years entire charge of stock for one large manufacturer. Address C 503 Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—OF TRUST, BY YOUNG man 23 years old; has had 10 years' office experience as correspondent and general office work; can furnish best of references. Address X 487, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — NIGHT WORK; steady; good penman; 12 years' office exp.; capable of handling close books; knowledge preparing catalogue copy; ref. or bond. Address A 225, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—A1 BOOKKEEPER and office man, competent to take full charge; honest, reliable, sober, and willing worker; 15 years' exp.; ref.; moderate salary; a trial will be the best proof. Address W 208, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN, 22 YRS. of age, would like position as assistant to secretary; 4½ years' general office experience; best of references. Address A 442, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BOOKKEEPER, EXPE- cashier or assistant; competent to take full charge; in charge of office; good executive; first class system man; good on credits, costs, and correspondence, record, loans; employed; salary $1,500 to start. Z 507, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — BY EXPERIENCED bookkeeper and typist; competent to take full charge; downtown district. Address B 320, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—EDUCATED, EXPERIenced young man, 18, office of good firm where there is chance for advancement; best of references. Address A 121, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY BOOKKEEPER, 5 years' experience; references; salary $100 per month. Address W 434, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BOOKKEEPER, CAPAble taking charge of office; manufacturing and mercantile experience; age 28 years; highest references. Address C 561, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY EXPERIENCED bookkeeper; fine penman, quick and accurate; references given and required. Address G O 239, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY A1 BOOKKEEPER, capable assuming charge; adaptability to business conditions and intelligent work assured. Address C 509, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — BOOKKEEPER; A1; accurate and rapid figurer; knowledge of typewriting and all office work. Address C 501, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN, 24 YRS., asst. bookkeeper or general office man; 4 years' experience; now employed; A1 references. Address W 217, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AS OFFICE MGR., office work or collection manager; 20 years of age; 2 years general office exp.; capable, intelligent; start $8. Address X 401, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN, 22, DEsires position; business experience, understands bookkeeping; ambitious, not afraid of work; good ref. Address X 219 Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AS GROCERY CLERK with a large retail grocery house by a strong, energetic man of 21; wholesale experience. Address B 108 Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BOOKKEEPER, NOW employed, will keep books evenings or Saturday afternoon, loop or South Side pref.; best ref.; reas. Address A 218, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AS BOOKKEEPER OR correspondent; 11 yrs.' exp. with large corp. as bookkeeper, cost clerk, auditor, etc.; good penman; and credits; 29 yrs. old. Address A 161, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—OFFICE ASSISTANT, young man, age 22, understands bookkeeping and typewriting; 5 years' experience. Address B 226, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN, 22; four years' exp. in office; wants work of any kind. Address A 159, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AS HEAD STOREkeeper; am specialist in stockkeeping; can install system. Address A 499. Tribune.

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SITUATION WANTED — SPANISH CORREspondence, experienced, wishes office work; speak English. Address B 267, Tribune.

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SITUATION WANTED—SHIPPING CLERK; RE- house; present position 5 yrs.; give ref. Address A 115, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—DRUGGIST, GERMAN, but landed, seeks position where he can learn English language. Address T K 251, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—SMALL SET BOOKS written up evenings; weekly, monthly, yearly. X 546, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN, 20, DEsires office position; fine penman, good at figures; excellent ref. Address A 173, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—EXP. BOOKKEEPER of books to do at home evenings; references. Address A 197, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BOOKKEEPER; RAPid, accurate, good penman; chance to advance. Address A 398, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BKPR. OR GEN. OFfice, college grad.; good penman; $8. Address X 345, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—EXP. YOUNG MAN, general office work; age 21; good penman. Address W 349, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—MARRIED MAN, 29; 10 years' experience in collection work; 2 years general office exp.; capable, intelligent; start $8. Address X 401, Tribune.

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SITUATION WANTED—CLERICAL POSITION by man of 21; 5 years' exp. Address W 166, Tribune.

Accountants and Auditors.

SITUATIONS WANTED—V. HUGO KALLMAN expert staff of accountants open, close, balance and systematize special investigations, exhibits of cost and expenses, handles, depreciations and reserves; stop leaks; much is accomplished in short time. First National Bank Bldg. Tel. Randolph 1566. V. HUGO KALLMAN.

SITUATION WANTED—ACCOUNTANT, 32 YRS. of years' mfg. exp.; thorough knowledge of costs, credits, collections, traffic, purchases, etc.; gilt edge references as to character and executive ability; bond. Address C 539, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — BOOKS AUDITED, closed; Corporation Tax Schedules completed; reasonable terms. ECONOMIC SYSTEMS AND AUDIT CO. 14 Salle-st. Telephone Randolph 3139.

SITUATION WANTED—EXPERT BOOKKEEPer, accountant; will take extra work; spare time or evening; small sets kept. Address A 443, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — ACCOUNTANT, AGE 25, 5 years last employer, corporation; experience and ref. Address X 343, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—EXPERT WILL AUDIT, balance, systematize books, etc.; also install cost system. SPENCLEY, 1502 Everett-av.

SITUATION WANTED—EXPERT WILL AUDIT, systematize; also install cost system. Address A 297, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — SMALL SETS OF books posted and balanced, weekly or monthly. Address B 257, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — EXPERT ACCOUNTant will make part time arrangement to do bookkeeping and auditing. Address C 514, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — EXPERT WILL AUDIT, open, close, keep small sets, etc.; reasonable. McENROE, 164 Monroe. Central 5674.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

Salesmen, Solicitors, Etc.

SITUATION WANTED—AN ENERGETIC, SUCcessful, and reliable salesman and sales manager wishes to make a new connection where goods are sold to wholesale grocers; has a personal, intimate acquaintance, and is now doing business with the wholesale grocery trade in thirty states east of the Rocky Mountains; in present business 5 years; correspondence solicited. ADDRESS MANAGER, POSTOFFICE BOX 597, CHICAGO, ILL.

SITUATION WANTED—ELECTRICAL AND telephone supply houses. I want to get into the selling game. I have had no experience selling, but am not a blockhead and willing to learn. Have been in elec. and telephone business 10 years. Cost you nothing for an interview. Address A 413, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — REPRESENTATIVE; Young man now with the civil engineering department of a railroad desires to act as representative or agent for an American steel manufacturer or similar concern in Europe; is a technical graduate and speaks German, French, Bohemian, and English; is also acquainted with several engineering and manufacturing concerns abroad; particulars on personal interview. Address W 450, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AM 30 YEARS OLD, EDUCATED, ENERGETIC, AND CAPABLE; AT PRESENT HOLDING EXECUTIVE OFFICE WITH LARGE MANUFACTURING CONCERN; DESIRE TO MAKE NEW CONNECTION AS SALES OR BRANCH MANAGER WITH REPUTABLE FIRM; NO OBJECTION TO LEAVING CITY. BEST REFERENCES. ADDRESS T 240, TRIBUNE.

SITUATION WANTED—RELIABLE TRAVELing salesman wishes to make connection with a good house; still employed with the same house for the last five years, but desire a change; have personal acquaintance with department store buyers and wholesale and retail jewelry trade; any kind of a line on commission considered; correspondence solicited. Address C 320, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — COMPETENT, EXperienced young man stenographer desires position with reliable firm, with view to advancement, where accuracy, willingness, and faithfulness are appreciated; now employed. Address C 520, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—SALESMAN HAVING charge of branch house desires making change for similar position, or selling on road. Don't answer if you want cheap man. Only salary or salary and commission considered. Address W 425, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY LIVE, ENERGETIC, hustling salesman, age 29 years, with good record getting results; good live, new, meritorious office or side specialty; can single, can go any place and furnish best of bank and business ref. Address W 482, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—IF YOU ARE THINKing of selling, or starting a new department, drop me a line. I am an American, 30 years of age, and have ability and push. Best of references. Address L. CASE, Los Angeles, California.

SITUATION WANTED — A YOUNG MAN OF education and excellent personality, ability as a salesman desires to hear from firms wishing to employ a salesman either for city or road work. I am able to give best of references as to character, character, and ability. Address B 152, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—MARRIED MAN, 32, now on road, wants city territory; have had 10 years' selling experience; can produce results; moderate salary to start providing position will yield more if I earn it. Address X 417, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—EXPERIENCED, RELiable and energetic salesman, 22 years old, unquestionable references regarding character and ability; willing to start at moderate salary; gents' furnishing line preferred. Address A 113, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — BY CAPABLE YOUNG married man of business and selling ability, as manager of reliable city salesman; moderate salary to start with, increase dependent upon results obtained. Address X 351, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AS SALES OR BRANCH manager, by experienced man, age 30; now $2,600; employers discontinuing. Address A 365, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AS TRAVELING REPresentative; young married man; with good reputable house; no insurance or books; good refs. Address Z 475, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — PRACTICAL CIGAR salesman; bank reference; controlling store in loop; wants best proposition. Address X 281, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—SUCCESSFUL REAL estate salesman desires to connect with firm having live business. Address B 126, Tribune.

Professions and Trades.

SITUATION WANTED — YOUNG MAN, 28, single, just arrived from west, American, energetic, of good qualities, ability, name, appearance, references, desires position in wholesale house, mostly mechanical; seeks position of assistant supt. or manager of concern of good standing in the manufacturing line. Interview solicited. For further information Address T. R. B., 1216 Astor-st., city.

SITUATION WANTED—$2,000 PER YEAR MAN; POSITION AS ASST. SUPERINTENDENT WITH MFG. CONCERN; AM MECHANICAL, EXPERIENCED, AND NOW EMPLOYED; ONLY HIGH CLASS PERMANENT POSITION WANTED. ADDRESS X 316, TRIBUNE.

SITUATION WANTED—COMMERCIAL ARTIST, thoroughly experienced; pen and ink, water color, fine letter man, clever designer, earnest, conscientious worker; small salary if position offers a future. Address B 300, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—FIRST CLASS ALL-around printer, with home and services if married man; A1 for high class ad writer, regularly or evenings. C. W. BARNES, 901 Leland-av., Chicago.

SITUATION WANTED — PRINTING PRESS room foreman; steady; 14 yrs.' experience, color work; for 3 years with one of largest concerns in Chicago. If you want a live one, address B 237, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — DESIGNER OF MAchinery; technical man with 10 years' practical experience will be pleased to communicate with mfg. companies who need a first class man. Address T 266, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—FOREMANSHIP, OR AS stoneman, by experienced printer; layout and strike margins correctly on any form; present employed; 36 years of age, married, total abstainer, union. Address A 210, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — CIVIL ENGINEER; general work; good city refs. Address W 350, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — PAINTER; FIRST class interior grainer, gralsoer, paper hanger; sober, good mechanic; references; moderate wages. LINGEN, 639 Grove-pl.

SITUATION WANTED—AS 1ST CLASS LANDscape gardener; on gentleman's place, or retail place; 14 years' exp.; middle age; single, sober, and reliable. Address H 422, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—UNIVERSITY GRADUate (engineering) age 23, best of character, now employed, wants work with opportunity. Address B 266, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN, 10 YRS. experience, pump, engine, pipe, and repair work; wants position; country or city. MANZER, 3304 Calumet-av.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG, SOBER MEchanic desires experience on gas engines, automobiles; I. C. S. student; ref. Address B 465, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—MANAGER OR SUPTof machine shop; possess both practical and commercial knowledge of machinery business; 15 yrs.' experience. Address B 115, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—LICENSED ENGINEER, as assistant, or take small plant; is married, sober, reliable; have first class ref. Address A 152, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — YOUNG MAN IN printing plant; all round assistant pressman; work on cylinder and platen press; desires to make good and steady. Address X 294, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — BY YOUNG MAN, sketching, color work, and engraving 3 years' experience; reasonable salary can be expected; wages. Address B 323, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—ALL AROUND PRINTer working foreman, storeman, proofreader; communion; steady; strictly A1. Address B 505, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—DRAFTSMAN, MACH. and structural, with long exp., desires work during spare time; reasonable. Address X 374, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY AMERICAN STAtionary engineer, experienced, with American. Address C X 175, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—LICENSED ENGINEER wishes a good position; is not afraid of work. Address A 530, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—SUPERINTENDENT OR general foreman, masonry, carpentry, concrete work. Address A 165, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—PLUMBER AND ALL round hand; man as janitor on buildings, unhesitated preferred. 1216 N. Wood-st. BRANDES.

SITUATION WANTED—LICENSED ENGINEER sober], wants a position. Address ENGINEER, 301 W. Division-st.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN; CAN do steam fitting, gas fitting, plumbing repairs; 3½ years' experience. Address X 210, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY A1 MASON FOREman [hustler], exp. in all lines. Address A 267, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—SMITH, EXPERT REpair man, 217 St. John's-ct., carpentering, plastering, decorating.

SITUATION WANTED—BY FIRST CLASS CYLinder and Gordon pressman, 16 years' experience. Address A 268, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — EXPERIENCED draftsman, expert mechanic, inventive ability, all or part of time; refs. Address A 271, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AS MACHINIST. WOULD do drawings; speaks only Swedish and German; 5 years' exp. Address W 457, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—FIRST CLASS ENGInear; best class reference and license. Address P. O. Box 294, Downer's Grove, Ill.

SITUATION WANTED—FIRST CLASS CUSTOM ladies' tailor, cutter and fitter; many years' experience. 1221 N. Claremont-av.

SITUATION WANTED — PAINTING, PAPERhanging, etc. 3233½ Cottage Grove-av. Tel. Aldine 2665.

SITUATION WANTED — IN ELECTRICAL work or similar; 4 years' exp.; handy with all tools; age 24; ambitious. Address A 468, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY PRINTER AND MACHINE foreman desires a change. Address A 221, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY MECHANICAL draftsman, college education, 5 years' railroad experience. Address G H 501, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — JOB COMPOSITOR, foreman or layout man on high class work; nonunion; Chicago. C. W. BARNES, 901 Leland-av., Chicago.

SITUATION WANTED — CARPENTER WORK; all around mechanic. Address A 268, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—JOB PRINTER; STEADY position; $14 per week exp. Address A 169, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—STEAM FITTER, ALL round man; nonunion. Address A 282, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY PAINTER, PAPERhanger, calcimining. Address B 285, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — ALL AROUND COOK; sober and reliable. 2d flat. 630 Willow-st.

SITUATION WANTED—BRISKLY MAN, ENGIneer; practical; all repng. Address C 503, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY FIRST CLASS CYLinder pressman; refs. Address C 472, Tribune.

Farm Help.

SITUATION WANTED TO SUPERINTEND grain or stock farm. Address X 507, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—SINGLE MAN, EXP., on farm. Address C 428, Tribune.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

Farm Help.

SITUATION WANTED — ON FARM; EXPERIenced in fruit or grain farm; married. Address J. MILLER, 1622 Park-av.

SITUATION WANTED — ON FARM; BEST OF refs.; age 30; married; colored; a hustler. Address B 469, Tribune.

House Servants.

SITUATIONS WANTED—BY GERMAN YOUNG man and wife; first class butler, valet; traveled 5 years with gentleman; wife first class cook, pastry cook; wages $80; leave city; first class references. Address X 254, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—EXPERIENCED COOK or steward by Japanese man; private family, hotel, club, and will combine butler or take full charge gentleman's place; city, country; reference. F. TAMAKI, 3030 Groveland-av.

SITUATION WANTED—JAPANESE, 15 YEARS' experience, cook, butler, and valet, wishes position in highest private family or take full charge of gentleman's place; 1st class refs. K., 2917 Prairie-av.

SITUATION WANTED—EXCELLENT JAPAnese cook, houseman, or general work; thoroughly experienced; references; $7 per week. F. 3338 Vernon-av.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MAN AND WIFE; cooks, stewards, and

WANTED—MALE HELP.

Professions and Trades.

BARBER—STEADY, NEAT APPEARANCE, FOR high class shop in Wilson-av. vicinity. Apply 2644 Sheffield-av.

BROTHERHOOD FIREMAN—CAN MAKE $85; is easy for a diesel talker. Call 1415 Manhattan Bldg.

GARDENER — 1ST CLASS, RELIABLE, AND married, new lodge, large grounds, hot house, permanent position for right party; references. Call Highland Pk. 216 or Harrison 4015.

DENTIST—1ST CLASS MIDDLE AGED OPERATOR, at once. 289 Wabash-av.

DESIGNER WANTED—YOUNG man having some experience in drawing up plans and elevations for store and office fixtures; state salary and experience to be considered. Address G O 327, Tribune.

DRAFTSMEN—2 MEN EXPERIENCED ON architectural work. Call or address Western Electric Company, 48th-av. and 24th-st.

DRAW BENCH OPERATOR — EXPERT; EXperienced in operation of both friction and roller dies. Address G O 294, Tribune.

FEEDERS—FIRST CLASS, FOR COLT'S PRESses. Binner-Wells Co., 309 Michigan-av.

FOREMAN—COMPETENT, ALL ROUND TO come to Minneapolis and organize and conduct tailor shop, to make 200 coats a week; coats not to cost more than $3 each; good work; must hire and bring with him necessary help to run shop operators, pressers, tailors, basters, and even finishers; will pay good salary to right man; permanent position. No application considered unless accompanied by first class references; state salary expected.

For further particulars write to HARRY MITCHELL, 310 Nicollet-av., Minneapolis, Minn.

FOREMAN—FOR NONUNION COMPOSING room; must be thoroughly posted on catalogs, tariff and railroad, commercial, and bank work. Give experience and salary expected. Omaha Printing Company, Omaha, Neb.

FOREMAN — EXPERIENCED YOUNG MEchanic to take charge of repair work in machinery store; educated man will have excellent chance for advancement. Apply by mail, giving full qualifications. Address G S 52, Tribune.

GALLEY BOY — EXPERIENCED; STEADY. Central Typesetting Co., 468 W. Superior-st.

JOB PRINTER—FIRST CLASS; NONUNION; married; good habits; good wages. BENTON BROS., Lincoln, Neb.

LATHE HAND—FIRST CLASS; MUST BE steady and sober. Apply Chicago Pump Co., 1035 Fulton-st.

MACHINE SHOP FOREMAN—BY AN AGRICULtural implement manufacturing concern within 100 miles of Chicago. Must be a good executive, energetic and up to date on machine shop practice. Address, with full particulars as to experience, wages, and references C S 25, Tribune.

MACHINIST—1ST CLASS INTERNATIONAL Wired Div. No. 3 with Morgan-av. Branch.

MARBLE CUTTERS, COPERS, POLISHERS. Henry Marble Co., 3208 Shields-av.

PHOTO ENGRAVING FACTORY MANAGER—Wanted, a man who understands the business and can manage high grade plant economically; give full particulars. Address Photo Engraver, care Morse International Agency, 19 W. 34th-st., New York.

PRESS FEEDERS—FIRST CLASS. IMMEDIATELY. Miehle and Gordon; $10 to $12. Western Journal Co., Vinton, Ia.

PRINTER—AT ONCE. ILLINOIS COLLEGE OF law, 12 E. 31st-st. Apply this morning.

OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN — TO GIVE PART of time to work in a sanitarium. Address B 235, Tribune.

SHOEMAKER—GOODYEAR INSEAM OPERator, on fine shoes for out of city. Apply 88 La Salle-st.

TAILORS — COATMAKERS, TO GO TO COUNtry. Call Tuesday, 10 a. m., at J. L. BOBO & CO., 210 Fullerton-av.

TOOL AND DIE MAKERS—EXTRA GOOD PO sitions open for high grade diemakers and men experienced on lathe, milling machine, and Brown and Sharpe universal grinder. Apply or address Western Electric Company, 48th-av. and 24th-st.

TYPEWRITER REPAIRERS—A LARGE EASTern typewriter house has room for 40 additional typewriter repairers. Address, stating salary and experience, TYPEWRITER COMPANY, BOX 997, ORANGE, N. J.

WANTED — A FIRST class stationery die cutter; permanent position. Send samples of work.

Mermod, Jaccard & King Jly. Co.
St. Louis, Mo.

Coachmen, Teamsters, Chauffeurs, Etc.

CHAUFFEUR AND HOUSEMAN—$10 PER week and board. Address, with references, X 878, Tribune.

Janitors and Porters.

PORTER AND LUNCH MAN; $9 WEEK AND board. 3566 Archer-av.; Call bet. 9 and 10 a. m.

WINDOW WASHER—EXPERIENCED. APPLY AT SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, 10:00 A. M. TUESDAY, 8TH FLOOR, THE FAIR, STATE, ADAMS, AND DEARBORN-STS.

Agents.

AGENTS — NEW DISCOVERY—FAMILY BUTter merger; makes butter (no chemicals) at cost of 10c per pound. Family Butter Merger Co., Brooklyn, N. Y.

ANY MAN OR WOMAN CAN EARN $100 MONTHly; home made butter, 15c a pound; household wonder; sells without canvassing. Send stamp for booklet. WAUPAUL, 114 Bank Bldg., Elgin, Ill.

WANTED—AGENTS, CALLING ON THE CONfectionery, grocery, drug, and cigar jobbing trade, Address Dixie Co., Rochester, N. Y.

Stenographers and Typists.

MULTIGRAPH OPERATOR—AT ONCE; GOOD position. Room 404, 188 Madison-st.

STENOGRAPHER—YOUNG LADY, LIVING ON South Side, to take dictation; state where last employed, experience, and salary to start. Address C 551, Tribune.

STENOGRAPHER — EXPERIENCED MALE; must be rapid and accurate; manufacturing experience preferred; Underwood machine. Apply Bromberg Motor Device Co., 1350 Michigan-av.

STENOGRAPHER—MALE; TO SECURE ATtention application must state age, experience, and salary expected. Address W 379, Tribune.

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CARSON PIRIE SCOTT & CO

March Sale of NOVELTY FURNITURE

The careful preparation evidenced in this section emphasizes the possibilities both in selection afforded and price economy to be realized through purchasing during our annual March Sale.

We are making a special feature of Stickley handcraft furniture. The well known and established reputability of this grade of furniture makes especially interesting our present display.

Stickley handcraft rockers with sole leather seat supported by special construction under the seat, insuring lasting service. These rockers are quite roomy, with big broad arms and especially comfortable back, very specially priced for March selling, at.....*$6.50*

Library tables with large drawer, size 28x42. These tables are made with solid oak reinforced top, and are strongly constructed throughout, either golden or fumed finish. Exceptional March offering.....*$9.75*

6th floor, north room.

Telephone stands made of solid oak, well constructed in every detail, either golden or Early English finish, drawer in table. Complete with stool, unusually strong March value, at.....*$3.50*

Piano benches with box under seat for music. These are beautifully made, mahogany or oak finish—four handsome designs to choose from. A special lot, featured at very special price of.....*$10.50*

March Sale of BEDSPREADS AND SETS

Decided savings are recorded in this offering in which many inducements are presented for immediate purchasing.

72x100 Irish Embroidered Bedspreads at $8.50. 90x100, special at $10.50.

Hemmed, fringed and scalloped edges, imported and domestic makes, fringed crochet bedspreads, full size—special March value at, each *(2d floor, north rm.)* *$1.65, $1.85 and $2.00*

Hemmed crochet bedspreads, full size, each, at *$1.15, $1.35, $1.65 and*.....*$2.00*

Satin fringed bedspreads, full size, at...*$2.50, $3.25 and $3.75*

Hemmed satin bedspreads, full size, ea., *$2.00, $2.25, $4.00, $5.00*

Scalloped bed sets, full sizes, with bolster cover to match, set, *$5.50, $6.50, $7.25 and $7.50*

Imported bed sets, fine scalloped edges, set.....*$7.75 to $13.50*

Annual March Sale of LEATHER HAND BAGS

This annual offering has developed into one of our most important March events. Exceptional values are quoted at this time which are not equaled under ordinary conditions. We mention nine of the many special values especially featured in this sale. *First floor, south room.*

Walrus grain leather hand bags, gilt and oxidized metal frames, strap handles, moire lining, fitted with coin purse.....*85c*

Grain leather hand bags, black or tan keratol lining, leather covered frame, strap handle, fitted with coin purse.....*85c*

Walrus grain leather hand bags in black, blue, green, tan and purple, moire lining, two outside pockets, button flap, double strap handles, fitted with purse...*$1.35*

Seal grain leather hand bags, gilt and oxidized metal frames, black or tan leather lining, gusset bottom, strap handles, fitted with change purse.....*$1.85*

Grain walrus leather hand bags, fancy gilt and oxidized metal frames, gusset bottom, black and tan leather lining, fitted with coin purse.....*$2.65*

Goat seal leather hand bags, leather covered, reinforced frame, black and tan leather linings, gold plated mountings, double strap handles, fitted with coin purse.....*$2.95*

Morocco grain leather hand bags, ornamented gilt and oxidized German silver frame, strap handle, black and tan leather linings, gusset bottom, fitted with purse.....*$3.95*

Seal goat leather hand bags, gilt and oxidized German silver frames, black and tan leather linings, double strap handles, gusset bottom, fitted with card case and change purse.....*$3.95*

Goat seal leather hand bags, black or tan leather linings, gilt and oxidized etched German silver frames, strap handles, gusset bottom, fitted with change purse.....*$4.75*

Annual March Sale of TABLE CUTLERY And Accessories

Special preparations enable us to make March sale prices represent a saving of 1/4 to 1/3 on "Ivoroy," Celluloid Ivory and Ivory Antique handled table cutlery.

"Ivoroy" is a new and superior material that closely approximates genuine ivory in color and density; warranted not to discolor, split, crack, warp or loosen from the blade. The Ivoroy handle designs are distinctive (reproductions of exclusive and select English patterns), and the blades are of Landers, Frary & Clark's finest English steel. We quote one pattern from our extensive showing in knives, forks, carving sets and accessories.

"Ivoroy" knives and forks, medium or dessert, dozen, each.....*$5.00*
"Ivoroy" 3-pc. beef carving set...*$3.00*
"Ivoroy" 2-pc. game carving set..*$2.25*
"Ivoroy" 2-piece bird carving set..*$1.75*
"Ivoroy" Carvers' Assistant, ea..*$2.00*
"Ivoroy" pie, cake or ice cream server, each.....*$1.75*
"Ivoroy" butter spreaders, doz...*$5.00*
"Ivoroy" orange knives, dozen...*$6.75*

Knives and forks, Antique Ivory Celluloid handles, sterling silver ferrules, silver plated steel blades, a dozen.....*(First floor, north room)*.....*$6.75*

Knives and forks, grained Ivory Celluloid handles, extra wide sterling silver ferrules, silver plated steel blades, a dozen.....*$5.75*

ANNUAL MARCH SALE OF ORIENTAL AND DOMESTIC RUGS

The opening of the spring season—complete stocks showing all the new spring patterns and a featuring of special lots—all our rugs are marked at the lowest possible prices of the year

Bokhara Rugs. One lot of Bokhara rugs in very select rich tone mahogany colorings—about 60 rugs in three lots so deserving of your careful inspection.

Lot No. 1, up to 2½ ft. in length, *$2.00* | Lot No. 2, up to 3½ ft. in length, *$3.00* | Lot No. 3, up to 4½ ft. in length, *$4.50*

Beloochistans. One lot of extra fine Beloochistan rugs, soft and silky, finely woven qualities—all sizes from 2x4 feet to 3x5 feet. Five lots at the following prices: *Seventh floor.*

2x4 and larger sizes, each, *$6.00* | 2½x4½ and larger sizes, each, *$7.50* | 3x4½ and larger sizes, each..... *$9.00* | 3x5 and larger sizes, each..... *$12.00* | 3x5½ and larger sizes, each..... *$15.00*

Hall Runners. A special lot of short hall runners in fine heavy Karadjas in sizes from 3x8 to 3½x11. Two lots at unusually attractive pricings:

Lot No. 1, 3x8 and larger, at, each.....*$18.00* | Lot No. 2, 3½x9 and larger, at, each.....*$22.50*

Small Orientals. One lot of fine Shirvan, Daghistan, Durbend and Cabistan rugs—two bales to select from. Every rug revels in various coloring of exquisite beauty. Four classifications, as follows:

Lot No. 1, size about 3x6 feet, at, each.....*$9.00* | Lot No. 3, size about 3½x4½ feet, at, each.....*$14.00*
Lot No. 2, size about 3x4½ feet, at, each.....*$11.00* | Lot No. 4, size about 3½x5 feet, at, each.....*$17.00*

Khiva Rugs. The best values of the year in these very desirable rugs are to be noted in this display. Khivas are adaptable to practically any room. The patterns are beautiful. To simplify the selling we have classified this showing in 3 lots:

Lot No. 1, about 6x9 ft. size, at *$52.50* | Lot No. 2, about 7x10 ft. size, at *$62.00* | Lot No. 3, about 8x10½ ft., at *$72.00*

9x12 Orientals. A few selections in high quality rugs purchased advantageously. These lines are limited, but the values are most extraordinary for this character of rug.

9x12 Ghorevan rugs, limited quantity, at spec'l price, *$120.00*
9x12 camel's hair rugs, limited quantity, to sell at.....*$130.00*
9x12 Serapi rugs, limited quantity, now marked at.....*$140.00*
9x12 Melas rugs, limited quantity, strong values at.....*$160.00*

Wilton Rugs. A recent purchase enables us to offer high grade Wilton rugs at greatly lowered prices. These are slightly imperfect, but are equally as servicable as first quality rugs. Note the remarkable values in these three lots:

27x54 in. at *$4.75* | 8.3x10.6 at *$39.50* | 9x12 at.....*$44.00*

Royal Wiltons
27x54 in. at.....*$3.00*
8.3x10.6 at.....*$29.50*
9x12 at.....*$34.00*

Wool Surface Wiltons
27x54 size at.....*$2.90*
8.3x10.6 size at.....*$25.50*
9x12 size at.....*$29.50*

Kilmarnock Rugs. Large line of patterns to select from in beautiful two-tone Morris designs:

Size 4.6x7.6, specially marked at.....*$8.50*
Size 6x9, specially marked at.....*$11.50*
Size 8.3x10.6, specially marked at.....*$18.00*
Size 9x12, specially marked at.....*$21.00*

LACE CURTAINS, CURTAIN MATERIALS AND DRAPERIES

Annual March Sale—Months ago we first laid plans for these great sales. The successful result of our efforts is revealed in the following offerings which comprise values of extraordinary strength in the season's most desirable lines. *Sixth floor, north room.*

CURTAINS—All the best ideas of foreign designers in our recent importations. There are Irish point curtains in novelty and allover effects in white, ivory and beige; beautiful duchess curtains in white and ivory; Point de Calais, Point de Luzern and Point de Colorado curtains in light soft chocolate colorings; patterns suitable for living room, library or dining room; Brussels curtains in exquisitely dainty lace effects; then there are hand-made curtains in Arabian, Renaissance, Marie Antoinette, Antique and Cluny curtains—these latter all from Paris. A beautiful assortment of English and French etamines and scrim curtains with lacy insertions and edges. In fact, an assortment of curtains to cover the needs of every room in any home.

We are featuring three special values—the result of an opportune trade transaction with an importer of very fine lace curtains who was unable to make deliveries as promised, therefore had to accept cancellations—hence compelling values:

Lot 1. 500 pair of French novelty, Marie Antoinette and Lacet Arabian curtains, all on extra quality nets. They come in white or Arab colorings; these show a *saving of one-half*, at, a pair.....*$3.00*

Lot 2. Another grouping, by far the most interesting of its kind we have ever offered, consisting of Irish Point, Duchess and Cluny curtains in the white or Arab shades—*a saving of ⅓*, a pr., *$7*

Lot 3. The third assortment embraces Irish Point and Duchess curtains—some very beautiful creations in the white, ivory or beige colorings. And the price affords a *saving of from ⅓ to ½*, pr., *$10*

CURTAIN MATERIALS—Our line of yard curtain materials was never so complete as now. The rare extent of pleasing and exclusive patterns makes easy the matter of selection—especially at these attractive prices in range from, a yard.....*35c to $3.00*

We have assembled in one grouping at one price 3,000 yards of curtain nets in a variety of the season's richest patterns. These come in white, ivory and Arabian colorings. All new designs and marked at the very special price of, a yd.....*50c*

DRAPERIES—Our line of draperies has been carefully selected from the best the market affords, and being reinforced with very special prices should make this a most active event. Included are the simple plain rep portieres with bordered effects, mercerized armures with silk cord and Van Dyke edges, light and heavy weight silks, satin derbys, venetian tapestries, all appropriately trimmed; also other fine lines up to the more elaborate double faced velours with handsome borders.

A trade deal with a French maker of fine silk faced Gobelin curtains accounts for a lot of 45 pairs of very fine portieres which we are offering at a mere fraction of their regular selling figure. While they are last season's patterns, ofttimes they surpass the new designs. They come in several shades of green, rose and brown. *Half price*, a pair.....*$10.00*

All that is new in couch covers in both foreign and domestic makes, some in striking colorings, others in soft, pleasing tones. Special lot at.....*$5.00*

17TH ANNUAL MARCH SALE OF TABLE SILVERWARE

An assembling of the most desirable and serviceable articles in sterling silver and silver plate—upon which we quote lowest prices of the year.

Discontinued Patterns—Especially desirable lines in sterling silver purchased from a prominent manufacturer—comprising fancy table pieces such as sugar shells and tongs, butter knives, berry spoons, meat and salad forks, olive spoons, cream and gravy ladles, pickle forks, bonbon spoons and tongs. Five special lots at saving of fully one-third.....*75c, $1, $1.35, $2 and $2.75*

Sterling Silver—all sterling silver tea sets, bowls, bread trays, sandwich trays, bonbon dishes and other fancy table pieces—special saving of 10% during this sale.

Sheffield Plate—Reproductions of old Sheffield plate at unusual price concessions. The assortment includes trays, platters, vegetable and entree dishes, gravy boats, tea sets, candle sticks, also many odd and unique pieces. A special saving of 10% on all Sheffield plate during this sale.

Quadruple Plated Ware—Best quadruple plated table pieces, baking dishes, casseroles, fern dishes, crumb trays, bread trays, tea sets, bowls, sandwich trays, etc., at special prices during our March sale.

World Brand Plated Ware—We are agents for "World" Brand best plated silver knives, forks, spoons and fancy pieces, all their best patterns are included in this special sale and marked at prices that are made but once a year. *First floor, south room.*

ANNUAL MARCH SALE OF BEDS, MATTRESSES, BEDDING

March can now be called the month of unequaled values in beds and bedding. The assortments are the largest now and the prices the lowest of the entire year. We quote a few values

Brass beds, 2 in. continuous post design, 7 upright center rods, best English lacquer finish, all sizes, satin or bright polish, *$14.75*

Brass bedsteads, best makes and finish, two styles, straight or turned corner posts, all parts extra heavy and well fitted, all sizes...*$19.75*

Colonial high post brass beds, the latest in brass bed construction, 2 in. post, height 60 in., low cross rods at head and foot, single or double size, satin or polish finish, choice of sizes.....*$21.50*

Brass beds, massive 2⅛ inch pillars and continuous top, full width only, satin or polish finish, each *(Seventh floor, south room)* *$28.75*

Enamel iron beds, high grade finish, white or gold, several patterns, 2 inch post design, extra weight, all sizes.....*$8.50*

Hair mattresses made to order; handsome new art tickings, usually much higher price, extra quality all hair mattresses, well filled, full 40 lbs. weight, one or two parts, full size. Smaller sizes in proportion to weight.....*$15.00*

Felt mattresses made expressly for us—offered in 50 lb. finished weight with roll edge, round corners and a choice pattern of ticking, each.....*$6.75*

Ostermoor mattresses. These standard makes, built in layers, are unrivaled for comfort. We supply the 60 lb. French edge mattress—in one or two parts, sateen stripe or art ticking—usually much higher, at, each.....*$18.50*

Ostermoor regular 45 lb. mattress in choice of several high grade tickings, full size, each.....*$15.00*

Pillows. All live goose feather pillows in standard feather ticking, 21x27, size, 3 lbs., well filled, large size, each.....*$1.75*

Comforters, with plain silk borders, silkoline center and back, sheet cotton filling, 72x78, blue, pink or yellow, unusual values.....*$3.98*

HANDKERCHIEF SALE—50,000 TRAVELERS' SAMPLES AT HALF

Our Annual March Sale offers the entire sample lines used by our wholesale travelers, also many lines from several large importers and manufacturers.

12½c, 18c, 25c *35c, 50c, $1.00*

Included in the lot is a representative sample line of almost every style handkerchief manufactured—*Women's* real hand embroidered Madeira handkerchiefs, colored novelty handkerchiefs, hand embroidered handkerchiefs, scalloped embroidered handkerchiefs, H. S. embroidered lace trimmed, some in linen, others in Swiss and shamrock lawn. An excellent assortment of women's plain all pure linen handkerchiefs in both sheer and heavy quality, also a sample line of odd initial handkerchiefs. *Men's* all pure linen plain H. S. handkerchiefs and colored novelties. The entire assortment is divided into six price lots.....*(First floor, north room)*.....*12½c, 18c, 25c, 35c, 50c and $1.00*

SEMI-ANNUAL SALE BOXED HOSIERY FOR WOMEN & MEN

This sale of hosiery by the box affords so great a saving that it is economy to buy a season's supply. We offer the best hosiery values the market affords—Eiffel Fast Black—all the latest improvements, such as double garter tops, extra spliced heels and toes, etc.

WOMEN'S HOSIERY—BOX OF SIX PAIRS

Women's like silk seamless hose, a box.....*$1.00*
Women's cotton hose, good weight, a box.....*$1.25*
Women's cotton hose, tenderfoot split sole, a box, *$1.25*
Women's lisle thread hose, fine gauge, a box.....*$1.25*
Women's cotton hose, medium weight, a box.....*$1.50*
Women's cotton hose, tenderfoot split sole, a box..*$1.50*
Women's lisle thread hose, medium weight, a box, *$1.50*
Women's cotton hose, extra wide out size, a box...*$1.50*

WOMEN'S HOSIERY—BOX OF SIX PAIRS

Women's like silk hose, soft and silky, a box.....*$1.50*
Women's cotton hose, extra fine gauge, a box.....*$2.00*
Women's cotton hose, tenderfoot split sole, a box..*$2.00*
Women's lisle thread hose, extra fine, med. wt., box, *$2.00*
Women's cotton hose, extra wide ribbed top, a box, *$2.00*
Women's like silk hose, sheer and lustrous, a box...*$2.00*
Women's cotton hose, indestructible yarn, a box...*$2.00*
Women's lisle thread hose, bell shaped top, a box..*$2.00*

WOMEN'S HOSIERY—BOX OF SIX PAIRS

Women's like silk hose, looks and feels like silk, box, *$2.00*
Women's lisle thread hose, gauze weight, a box....*$2.50*
Women's lisle thread hose, extra wide out size, box, *$2.50*
Women's like silk hose, wears like silk, a box.....*$2.50*
Women's like silk hose, extra wide out size, a box..*$3.00*
Women's like silk hose, fairly good weight, a box, *$3.00*
Women's like silk hose, exceptional quality, a box, *$3.00*

Women's and Children's Hose—First floor, north room. *Men's Hosiery—First floor, south room.*

WOMEN'S SILK HOSE—Boxes of 3 Pairs

Women's pure thread, "Eiffel Black" silk hosiery, made with the improved cotton garter top, also four-inch turned garter top, a box.....*$3.00, $4.00 and $5.00*

MEN'S HOSE—Box of Six Pairs, Eiffel Black

Men's cotton, regular made, a box...*$1.00*
Men's cotton, medium weight, a box...*$1.25*
Men's cotton hose, tenderfoot split sole, a box.....*$1.25*
Men's cotton hose, fine gauge, a box, *$1.50*
Men's lisle thread, good wt. gauze, bx...*$1.50*
Men's like silk hose, very silky, a box, *$2.00*
Men's like silk, finest quality, a box...*$2.50*

NEVER DARN HOSIERY—Guaran'd 6 Mos.

Never Darn insured hosiery, "Eiffel Black," for men, women and children. Guaranteed to wear for six months. Six pairs for.....*$2.00*

HOSIERY MENDING—Telephone us at any time and we will send for your stockings, mend them and return to you on short notice. The cost is slight.

OUR FOURTH ANNUAL SALE OF HOUSEWARES—TWO IMPORTANT SPECIALS

Besides a sale of enamel ware at one-half price and lavatory fittings at great savings we offer low prices throughout our entire housewares lines—Sixth floor, south room.

ENAMELED WARE AT HALF PRICE

A special purchase of enameled ware from a leading manufacturer, to be placed on sale at half and less than the regular prices. This enamel ware is made of sheet steel coated on the inside with an absolutely pure white porcelain and on the outside with a dark blue enamel or a variegated blue and white. The assortment includes rice or milk boilers, Berlin kettles, lipped kettles, preserving kettles, tea kettles, milk pans, pudding pans, dish pans, stew pans, coffee pots, etc., arranged on special tables.

Wash boilers, No. 8, full size, XXX tin, extra heavy copper bottom, regular $2.50 value, special at.....*$1.75*

C. P. S. & Co.'s sad iron sets, consisting of 3 irons, heavily nickel plated, handle and stand, reg. $1.25 value, special at *95c*

"Universal" bread makers, mix and knead the dough perfectly in three minutes; simple, easy and sanitary, priced at *$2.00*

Family kitchen scales with large dial and platform top, weighs 24 pounds by ounces, specially priced at.....*75c*

15c 25c 35c 50c

Combination chair step ladders, hardwood oak finish, special at.....*$1.50*

Rival wood frame clothes wringers, 10-inch guaranteed rubber rolls, priced at.....*$3.05*

Galvanized iron scrub pails, 10-quart size, special at.....*15c*

Scrub brushes, large sizes, hardwood back, best grade tampico filled, special at.....*10c*

Imported willow clothes baskets, large size, special at.....*75c*

LAVATORY FITTINGS AT LOW PRICES

Bath room mirrors, plain edge, extra heavy brass, nickel plated, fit'd with French plate mirror, metal back, 12x18 size, regularly priced at $5.00; special for.....*$3.50*

Glass shelves, polished edge plate glass with nickel plated brackets, regularly priced at $1.25 and $1.50, 18-inch size, *90c*
24-inch size.....*$1.00*

Towel bars, heavily nickel plated on ½-inch brass tubing, very special, 15 and 18 inch sizes.....*20c*
21 and 24 inch sizes.....*25c*

Bath tub soap dishes, heavily nickel plated on brass, choice of two styles, specially marked for.....*25c*

Toilet paper holders, large and heavy, special value at.....*35c*

Whisk broom holders priced at.....*12c*

Combination glass and soap holder, very special at.....*40c*

Robe hooks, nickel plated on brass, specially priced at.....*5c*

Tooth brush holders, will hold four brushes, priced at.....*12c*

Double match safe, heavily nickel plated, special.....*20c*

Hanging soap dish, shell pattern, special at.....*10c*

Bath sprays, nickel plated spray, rubber protector, five feet of pure white rubber tubing, special for this sale.....*55c*

Bath room stools, white enamel, legs rubber tipped, special at.....*$1.95*

Bath tub seats, oak board, nickel plated hangers, rubber covered, special at.....*35c*

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